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# EEDC proposes regional economic development organization

county's municipalities joining the County and the remaining fourteen town to voluntarily increase the county is experiencing a consider- training, utilities, repairs and upkeep know of their decision. Enterprise Economic Development from Coffee County (Enterprise, "housing fee" for municipal prison- able increase in the cost of housing of the facility. Corporation (EEDC); however, Elba, Kinston, New Brockton and commissioners used the opportunity the county). to ask the towns using the county

One of the mayors was all for the additional \$5 making their "fee" of vations to the idea.

become a part of the EEDC. At that own. years to the operation of the corpo- an organization," Lee said. ration. Since that move was made by Elba Mayor James Grimes told the county, other areas such as those present that Elba had already Geneva County have decided to set up a 12-member board to develin an attempt to attract economic city and he was unsure as to whether

meeting last Wednesday in an effort ture, and he also expressed a conto give the other county towns and cern of Elba losing its "individualicity - Elba, Kinston and New ty" in joining an organization such Brockton - to form an alliance with as the ECGCEDC.

EEDC, Tim Alford, explained to the joining the ECGCEDC venture. group that a regional approach to Stating that "there is strength in avenue to follow. "By helping our neighbors to the impact that such a joint venture grow economically, eventually we in economic development and

all will reap the benefits," he said. would unite to form the ECGCEDC. The EEDC was formed in 1994 in The present EEDC members gave a move to initiate strategic planning the cities until July 31 to make their and regional partnerships to produce final decision on the formation of a economic growth for the area in an new development partnership. All became

by Marvin MclLwain, Editor

effort to offset the affects of NAFTA and several tough years in the area's to do so for a "to-be-determined-day.

effort to offset the affects of NAFTA those wishing to join will be allowed to do so for a "to-be-determined-day.

ers from \$10 to \$15 per prisoner per day.

Kathy Le killed two birds with one stone on A plan was presented in last zation (EEDC) will be restructured structing the new county jail was to explanation of increased expenses. the prisoners three meals per day.

jail to house their prisoners for an idea and two others expressed reserhousing inmates total \$15 per pris- New Brockton Mayor Britt Lee felt that this would be great for his

Relative to the primary purpose of town since it had neither the Wednesday's meeting, the county resources or the funds to initiate an commission voted in April to economic development plan on its time, the commission agreed to con- "I feel sure that the members of tribute \$50,000 per year for three our town council will support such based on a plant that blooms for one "The greatest part about this is

pool their resources with the EEDC op economic opportunities for the ness, Backwoods Daylily Garden, result is distinctly different types of Elba could join such an organiza- on County Road 134. Finding the And, the Shaws said the goal of Coffee County Commissioner tion. He said that \$50,000 had business is as simple as following their hybridizing efforts each year is Tom Grimsley coordinated the already been committed to that ven-

Kinston's mayor, Billy Mullins, The executive director of the also expressed a reservation about flowers everywhere." economic development is the best numbers," Alford expressed his they have from 500 to 700 named very proud of and different from hope that city officials would realize registered varieties of daylilies on anything else." most hobby growers only have about 25-30 different vari-

Offer of large reward produces no new leads in missing six mystery by Marvin MclLwain, Editor

Chief Jones, Enterprise Council
President, Enterprise Mayor Johnny hybridizing Area law enforcement agencies Henderson and the District continue their search for the six Attorney's office were successful in missing people with no new leads obtaining a \$10,000 reward offered "It's my or evidence to indicate what might by Gov. Don Siegelman for inforfavorite part of the busihave happened to the two men and mation on the whereabouts of ness," said Mrs. Shaw. Lamar James Stackhouse, Angela "I love coming out This past weekend, a volunteer Roberts Young, and Eula Jossett every morning with my search and rescue team from Lee all residents of Enterprise; cup of coffee to see the Montgomery County searched James Anthony Reynolds of Webb, ravines and body's of water along Ala.; Valerie Jones McCoy of

new flowers. It's exciting because to be her worst critic when it comes For now, however, the Shaws July and they strive to offer the best

Kathy Lolley, Assistant Coffee towns are paying \$10 per day with fee" and at that time present organi- One of the main purposes of con- County Administrator, gave a brief \$3 of that fee going toward feeding

Wednesday, June 2, while meeting week's meeting to form the to meet the requirements of the new not only provide a new facility for Based on an average inmate populawith the mayors from Elba, Enterprise-Coffee-Geneva County organization. county inmates but to save the count tion of 93 per day, she estimated the save the county an estimated Enterprise, Kinston and New Economic Development In the other unrelated proposal, ty's towns and cities from having to county spends \$20 per day on each \$40,000 to \$45,000 per year in gen-Corporation (ECGCEDC), with a mayors from Elba, Enterprise, construct a jail of their own. prisoner with the money going for eral fund expenditures. Primarily, the meeting was called board of directors consisting of 18 Kinston and New Brockton were It was noted that while the munic- the prisoners' personal needs, med-

to discuss the possibility of the members - four being from Geneva presented with a proposal asking the ipalities are realizing a savings, the ical expenses, correction personnel's the proposal and let the commission

# Daylilies bloom in the backwoods

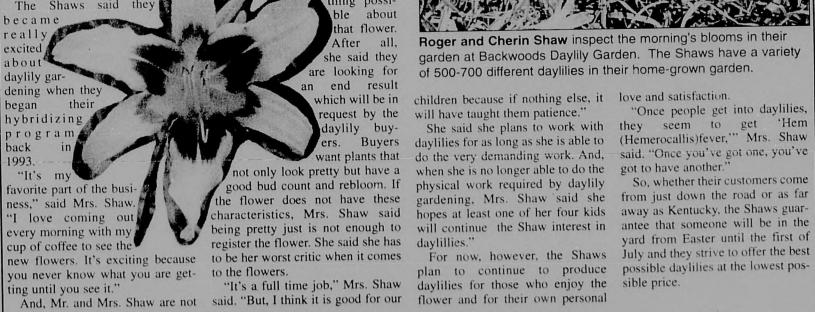
#### by Linda Hodge, Staff Writer and hybridizing. In fact, the Shaws said their daylily business is very

In the backwoods of Coffee much a family thing because their County, one family has turned their children also seem to love working love of gardening into a business with the flowers. day but can last forever...It's a that we all have different tastes in regards to the types of daylilies we

Roger and Cherin Shaw are the like," Mrs. Shaw said. "We all work owners of the family oriented busi- with different seeds, and the end which is located just off Hwy. 167 flowers." this case the phrase translates to enough in its presence to register with American Hemerocallis "follow the red signs." "I started with five different Society. (Hemerocallis is the scien-

daylilies," Mrs. Shaw said. "By the tific name for daylily.) end of that summer, I had gone "Your going to put your name on from five to 275. Now, we've got this flower, and it will be there forever," Mrs. Shaw said. "So, you At present count, the Shaws said want it to be something you are

hand. This is an amazing number For that reason, she said they onsidering that Mr. Shaw said watch the flowers they are considering to register each and every day. hey take detailed notes, and try to know every-





Roger and Cherin Shaw inspect the morning's blooms in their garden at Backwoods Daylily Garden. The Shaws have a variety are looking for of 500-700 different daylilies in their home-grown garden.

which will be in children because if nothing else, it love and satisfaction. want plants that do the very demanding work. And, said. "Once you've got one, you've not only look pretty but have a when she is no longer able to do the got to have another."

plan to continue to produce possible daylilies at the lowest pos-"It's a full time job," Mrs. Shaw daylilies for those who enjoy the sible price.

request by the will have taught them patience." "Once people get into daylilies, daylily buy- She said she plans to work with they seem to get 'Hem rs. Buyers daylilies for as long as she is able to (Hemerocallis)fever," Mrs. Shaw

good bud count and rebloom. If physical work required by daylily So, whether their customers come

### New Brockton elects to participate in regional development by Marvin MclLwain, Editor county-wide economic development County has tentatively agreed to the request of the mayor so the planning

council on his recent meeting with Economic

organization.

record time - twenty minutes. tion and reorganize forming the this new venture. Members of the and investigated 3 accidents with no Mayor Britt Lee reported to the Enterprise-Coffee-Geneva County council concurred. the Coffee County Commission and Corporation (ECGCEDC). Coffee not have to allocate any funds responded to 2 fires. There were other area mayors concerning a County has accepted and Geneva toward the project; however, it is

COMMISSION MEETING The Coffee County Commission will hold its bi-monthly meeting Monday, June 14, 1999, morning at 9:00 a.m. in the Community Room located in the County Complex in New Brockton,

RED CROSS OFFERS LIFE-SAVING COURSES The American s \$30. Also, a five hour Infant and Child CPR course emphasizing or more information or to enroll, call 347-2461.

The monthly meeting of the New He noted that the Enterprise Brockton, Kinston and Elba have before the council takes final action. Brockton Town Council was brief Economic Development also been offered the opportunity to Police Chief Charles Driggers

possible that it will have to do so in

"They have assured me that we would be considered for anything that might come available as far as a business or industry that New Brockton could support in the way of land or building that they could go into," said Lee.

Turning to other matters, the council approved payment of monthly bills totaling \$23,326.61. Mayor Lee also commented that the town's income has been a little less than it was last year due to the decrease in franchise tax, but the overall financial condition is better than it was at the same time last

The ordinance concerning manufactured housing was tabled at the

and to the point Monday evening Corporation has proposed to Coffee join the organization too, reported that his officers investigatwith council members zipping County and Geneva County the Mayor Lee recommended to the ed 18 complaints and made 21 through an eleven-item agenda in opportunity to join their organiza- council that New Brockton join in arrests, issued 24 traffic citations injuries. The rescue squad answered Development At the present time, the town will 2 calls and the fire department

### Please See NBTC Page 2

### NOTICE

There will be a community crime watch meeting held at the Zion Chapel Volunteer Fire Department Thursday (TONIGHT), June 10, at 7:00 p.m. The purpose of the meet ing is to learn what area residents can do to protect their property. Law enforcement personnel will be at the meet ing to explain what can be done, residents of the Zion Chapel/Jack communities are encouraged to attend this

#### up the investigation of the disap- about any these missing persons or pearances, stated the only lead in the circumstances concerning their the incident is that the six individu- disappearance is asked to contact als were last seen in Opp on May 8 the Enterprise Police Department at at approximately 3:15 a.m. They 347-1211 ext. 214, the District had been "partying" at a local night- Attorney's office or the nearest law

Alabama Republican Party to hold presidential straw poll Alabama Republican Party state's first-ever presidential straw Chairman Winton Blount and poll in Birmingham in late August.

the two likely routes that would Daleville, Ala.; and Tamara

The rescue team used divers, reward, a local Enterprise minister, drags and cadaver dogs in their 'Reverend J. R. Mullins along with

search of area creeks, rivers and his wife, has offered a \$500 reward. nearby lakes and ponds located The six individuals have been

Jones, whose department is heading Anyone having any information

have been taken from Opp to Monique Ward of Ozark, Ala.

Enterprise Police Chief T. D. missing adults.

club known as the Hideaway Club. enforcement agency.

ALERT

The Caroline Street Bridge

was closed Wednesday (YES-

one (1) week while repairs are

TERDAY) for approximately

Coffee County GOP Chairman Al Patterson said the county conven-Patterson announced Monday that tion will take place at 9:30 a.m. at the Coffee County Republican the Ramada Inn, which is located at Party will hold a county convention 630 Glover Avenue in Enterprise. on June 26, 1999 to select 35 dele- Blount said the convention will gates and 7 alternates to attend the be among the 66 others held on June 26 to select up to 3,008 delegates and 602 alternates from across the state. Those selected at the county conventions will be eligible to vote in the state's first-ever Republican presidential straw poll

In addition to the Governor's

entered in the national database for

. Center on August 27-28, 1999. Please See STRAW Page 2

at the Birmingham Jefferson Civic

## Area Happenings

Red Cross will offer a 6-1/2 hour standard first aid course that covers both Adult Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation and First Aid Basics on Saturday, June 19, from 8:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. The cost of the course esponse to emergencies, rescue breathing and cardiopulmonary resusciation performed on children and infants will be offered on Saturday, une 26, from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. The cost of the course will be \$20. Both ourses will be held at the Enterprise Civic Center, 711 Crawford Street.

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### BRAINSTORMS With Ferrin Cox

Alzheimer's is a terrible thing for the mind. The good news is that researchers are on the trail for a cure! Within the next five years they expect to be testing their work on humans. It involves injecting some special cells into the brain and watching them evolve into the particular type brain cell that has gone astray. Most of us have witnessed the tragedy of a loved one or a friend slowly losing their normal mental abilities. It is not a pleasant thing to watch, and we are excited about the prospects.

The disappearance of six area adults continues to puzzle Southeast Alabama. The group was reportedly last seen leaving Opp, sometime after 3:00 a.m., weeks ago, all in the same car. Law enforcement folks have been aided by Search and Rescue experts but have found no clues on what happened. The group had met up casually, was having a good time and could have gone in any of a dozen directions, not just back toward Enterprise. It is natural to hope for the best, but after weeks of no word, the outlook is anything but bright. There is a \$10,000 reward for information, which makes it worthwhile to anyone with the slightest bit of helpful information.

The Alabama Legislature has passed, and Governor Siegelman has signed, the long debated bills on tort reform. There is a lot of back slapping and cheering on this issue, but it may be premature. Once before the lawmakers got a simular bill through the legislature and signed by the sitting governor, only to have it struck down when an enterprising lawyer challenged the law before the higher courts.

The bill to raise the pay of judges, DAs, etc. bothers us. Long ago we gave up on thinking we knew what the correct income was for any job, but there is still a grave concern over things used to pay the raises. Coffee County is required to enforce court costs that we already consider almost criminal due to their high amounts. Adding an additional \$30 to every case will just make it worse. Hopefully, Governor Siegelman has by the time you read this, put a stop to this abuse.

#### **Praying for Patience**

Johnny had been misbehaving and was sent to his room. After a Harry Griffin, Craig Boswell, Pam same time period were: Jerry Hurt, while he emerged and informed his mother that he had thought it Bowers, Lunnie Johnson, Vivian Emma Haskins, Harry Griffin, over and then said a prayer. "Fine," said the pleased mother. "If you Maddox, John J. Hudson, Tiffany Craig Boswell, Bennie Diane ask God to help you not misbehave, He will help you." "Oh, I did- Parrish, Willie McClain, May Spurlin, William Donaldson, Willie n't ask Him to help me not misbehave," said Johnny. "I asked Him to help you put up with me."

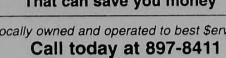


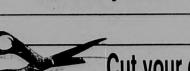
their constituents at a recent Chamber of Commerce breakfast.

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EDITORIAL



LOOKING FOR A NAME...Lt. Jack Herbert with the Coffee County Sheriff's Department, after receiving his two newest deputy recruits, went looking for a name. Rory Daughtry, a resident of Elba, donated two Brittany Spaniels to the department with the stipulation they be trained as drug enforcement dogs. Lt. Herbert decided to let the D.A.R.E. (Drug Abuse Resistance Education) students have a "These delegates will be selected in the straw poll. part in selecting a name for his two "new deputies." Last Friday, he during a county convention to be For more information about the visited all three schools to let the students "meet and touch" the puppies and submit name choices. Pictured above are the D.A.R.E students at Zion Chapel Elementary School and somewhere (you find them) are the two "deputies." The names selected are "Dixie" and state to participate in an historic Republican "Belle." One of the puppies will be trained as a drug dog while the event in our state." other one will become an explosive sniffer trained in locating bombs and/or explosive materials. The two new deputies have already

#### ELBA GENERAL HOSPITAL REPORT

the time period of May 31, 1999 Breeden.

Elba General Hospital had the Coleman, Marissa Bludsworth, following patients admitted during Vaneccia Magwood, and Samantha

through June 6, 1999. They were: Persons discharged during the Bryan, William Donaldson, Shirley McClain, John J. Hudson, Mickey Johnson, Joyce Missildine, Sherri Daniels, Joyce Missildine, Vivian Manning, Mickey Daniels, Maddox, Paula Boswell, Tiffany Gertrude Ennis, Dorothy Linton, Parrish, Shirley Johnson, Margaret Paula Boswell, Margaret Hussey, Hussey, and Rosa Tyson. Allen Watson, Terry Tristan, Annise

### Elba Police Report

beginning Monday, May 31, 1999, expired driver's license, and one for ivestigated the following inci- no tag. dents: three criminal mischiefs, one Daily activity highlights for the runaway, three harassments, two week were as follows: burglaries, four thefts of property, MONDAY, MAY 31 - Alarm at The two reckless endangerment, one Jewel Box (2:42 a.m.); River stage resisting arrest, one missing person, 3.27 feet (7:06 a.m.); Disturbance one possession for drug parapherna- (domestic) Old Samson Road lia, one public intoxication, one (12:08 p.m.); Disturbance/fight on assault, two possessions of marijua- Reynolds Street (11:18 p.m.). na, and one VPL.

The following arrests were made TUESDAY, JUNE 1 - River stage during the week: three for violation 3.20 feet (6:33 a.m.); Alarm at Ace of the city's excessive noise ordi- Hardware (9:59 p.m.); Routine nance, one for burglary, three for activity. VPL, one for fraudulent use of a credit card, one for resisting arrest, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 2 - River one for reckless endangerment, one stage - 3.64 (7:03 a.m.); Burglary for possession of drug parapherna- reported on Caroline Street (2:20 lia, one for disorderly conduct, one p.m.); Routine activity. for rape, one for public intoxication. and one for possession of marijua- THURSDAY, JUNE 3

Traffic citations issued during the Avenue (5:17 a.m.); River stage week were as follows: four for 3.58 (6:23 a.m.); Minor wreck speeding, three for driving while reported at city hall (12:12 p.m.); driving while driver's license are Alarm at a residence on Martin suspended, one for no driver's Luther King Drive (8:09 p.m.).

BULLETIN BOARD · SOCIAL SECURITY REP. · ROTARY CLUB - Tuesday @ Noon-· ELBA MINISTERIAL ASSN. - Tues 8 a.m. Elba United Methodist Church . ELBA CITY COUNCIL - 2nd & 4th Monday - 6 p.m.-City Hall

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owing 2nd Monday-6 p.m. - City Hall COFFEE COUNTY COMMISSIO

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6:30 p.m. - EHS Cafeteria

3rd Wed. Noon- Colony Inn, Enterprise
• AIRPORT AUTHORITY -

p.m. Senior Citizen Center

• ELBA CITY SCHOOL BOARD

B-Que (10:25 p.m.). SATURDAY, JUNE 5 - Possible prowler reported at Beaver Dam Apts. (1:07 a.m.); River stage - 3.06 feet (6:54 a.m.); Alarm at a residence on Claxton Avenue (7:53 a.m.); Alarm at Kelley Foods (10:01

Disturbance reported on Hickman

FRIDAY, JUNE 4 - River stage -

3.27 feet (6:23 a.m.); Coffee

County EMS dispatched to Smith-

Harper Apartments (12:44 p.m.);

Alarm at Skinner Furniture (3:47

p.m.); Fight reported on Gray Street

(10:14 p.m.); Elba Rescue Squad

dispatched to Gray Street (10:17

p.m.); Fight reported at Kelly's Bar-

SUNDAY, JUNE 6 - River stage -3.70 feet (6:39 a.m.); Coffee County EMS dispatched to a residence on AL Hwy. 141 (8:46 a.m.); Routine activity.

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only 8 dogs picked up and carried to commented that the law has

the Elba Dog Pound this month. changed concerning "new hires" for The council was extremely the police department. As of pleased with the improving situa- February 1999, new officers who tion of stray animals (dogs) or the are not post certified have to be fully supervised by a training offiack of in the town. Other items of discussion were as cer prior to their attending the acad-

emy for certification. \*\*\*Noted the proposed increase \*\*\*Mayor Lee informed the of \$5 per day per inmate for the care council that Bill Emerine has been of municipal prisoners in the county hired as a part-time employee for jail. They approved the increase the street department. from \$10 to \$15 commenting that it \*\*\*Change the next council was cheaper than building a munic- meeting date to July 12th instead of July 5th.

\*\*\*Councilman Ron McMonagle

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Coffee County will send 35 vot- tion ballots will be mailed across ing delegates and 7 alternates to the the state inviting people to partici-

Blount said thousands of registra-

straw poll in August," Blount said. pate in the county conventions and held at the Ramada Inn in county convention, contact Al Enterprise on June 26. The county Patterson at (334)393-7064. convention will be an exciting Updates about all events are reguopportunity for people across the larly posted on the Alabama

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### LETTERO TO THE EDITOR

Dear Mr. McIlwain: facts to the public. Why has the once did they inform their readers money, not respect. media world resorted to tabloid how prevalent, in this state, that illehappened to good, honest reporting? become.

in Alabama. At the same time, how- based upon those facts. I also realever, they sell advertising space to ize, however, that it is necessary for not only the local dog track, but also many newspapers and other forms to many casinos in Mississippi. of media to take a stand on certain How can you be against gambling, issues because of their mission. Money says it all.

but promote it at the same time? However, if you must take a stand The Birmingham News and side of the fence. If you think that Birmingham Post-Herald have by expressing you biased opinions

It saddens and angers me to real- columns with many renditions dis- ads makes you look neutral, then ize how today's media, in all forms, guised as "Expansion of Legalized you are sadly mistaken. It only is more interested in the almighty Gambling." Not once did these makes you look like hypocrites who dollar than in simply reporting the newspapers state the facts. Not are after one thing from the public -

journalism in recent years? What gal video gambling machines have should review the residue left by the biased reporting and biased opin-The Birmingham News and -1 personally feel that reporting ions of the Birmingham tabloids. Birmingham Post-Herald have both should be completely neutral and After doing so, you will find there is published articles and editorials objective, stating only the facts (and a foul stench in the air. urging their readers to be against the all of the facts) and allowing the Sincerely, "expansion of legalized gambling" public to form its own opinions J. Edward O'Neill

on something, at least stay on one

EXPRESS YOUR VIEWS WRITE A LETTER TO THE EDITOR

## From The House...

by Congressman Terry Everett

The U.S. House of Security system for each Social Security and Medicare. Representatives has taken decisive Security beneficiary. Today, there Furthermore, Social Security suraction to protect Social Security are just three workers for each ben-pluses would be declared off limits Church in Elba with Rev. J.R. Parks surplus funds from being squan- eficiary; and, in 35 years that ratio for federal budget calculations. dered by Washington at the expense will decrease to only two workers While the House of of today's and tomorrow's seniors. for each Social Security recipient. Representatives has taken action to Hammond Funeral Home directing. In late May, lawmakers overwhelm- If no action is taken to address the protect 100 percent of the Social

1999 (HR 1259) to ensure that exhausted in 2034.

Social Security for at least half of the White House to accomplish. ernment programs. cent of their income when they that process.

As the number of American If the lock box legislation is enacted of Social Security. retirees increases dramatically, the into law, it would mark the first time number of workers who support since the Social Security Act was

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ingly passed the Social Security and long-term solvency of Social Security surplus, it is disappointing Medicare Safe Deposit Box Act of Security, the Trust Fund will be to note that the White House has not Minnie Lee Coon and a son, Robert Trust Fund surplus remains in the depend upon Social Security and get proposal saves only 62 percent Trust Fund for future beneficiaries: expect it to be there for them. The of payroll revenues for retirement Social Security is a sacred trust conservative Congress agrees. security over the next ten years. between the government and the However, protecting and ultimately That's \$165 billion of the expected American people; a trust that must reforming Social Security for future Social Security surplus money that

their benefits through FICA taxes is passed in 1935 that every Trust

House votes to protect social secu- dropping. In 1940, there were 42 Fund penny would be off limits for workers paying into the Social any federal spending except Social

be maintained and strengthened. generations will require the com- the Clinton Administration wants to Two thirds of our seniors rely on bined efforts of the Congress and spend on non Social Security gov-

their income. Low-wage workers Protecting the Social Security sur- Congress is ready to work with look to Social Security for 80 per- plus right now is a good first step in the White House to protect all of the Social Security Trust Fund, and to retire or become disabled. With The Social Security and Medicare develop a long-term plan to save such a heavy reliance on Social Safe Deposit Act, passed by the Social Security for future genera-Security, it is critical that steps be House on May 26, creates a "lock tions. We have taken bold, decisive taken to ensure that Social Security box" to protect all of the expected action to begin this process. We does not face a future financial cri- \$1.8 trillion Social Security Trust now call on the Administration to Fund surplus over the next 10 years. finally join us to protect the future

### AREA DEATHS

WARREN RANDOLPH SIM- Coon.

reduced their editorials to gossip and then contradicting them with Mr. Warren Randolph Simmons, Lee Coon, Elba; two daughters: age 82, of Rt. 1 Box 98, Elba, died. Minnie, Lee, Coon, Annie, Lee June 4, 1999 at Enterprise Medical (Leroy) Sheffield, all of Ft, Walton Mr. Simmons was a life long res- (Alice Murl) Coon, Dozier, Ala.;

ident of Elba and Coffee County one sister: Lizzie Pearl Tyson, Elba; and was a Combat veteran of six grandchildren; six great-grand-Funeral services were held on Mae Coon, Opp, Ollie Bell Jones. June 7, 1999 at Hayes Funeral Graceville, Fla., Ida Lue Wright, Home Chapel. Burial followed in Andalusia, Essie Mae Mimes,

the Rosin Ridge Cemetery in Elba Boston, Mass. with Hayes Funeral Home directing Survivors include his wife: Jeanette Smith Simmons, Elba; two daughters: Sis Hornsby and Deb Hornsby, both of New Brockton; four sons: Silas Simmons, Elba, Buddy Simmons, Jack, Edgar Simmons, Jack, Doug Simmons, Opp; three sisters: Bonnie Scarbrough, Elba, Willene Parker, Larue, Ohio, Martha Baldwin, Winter Garden, Fla.; 15 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

I.D. COON

Mr. I.D. Coon, born Jan. 1, 1906, of Elba, died June 1, 1999 at Medical Center Enterprise. Funeral services were held June 4, 1999 at Oak Grove Baptist officiating. Burial followed in the Bethlehem Cemetery in Elba with Mr. Coon was preceded in death by his parents, Robert Domer and

Attend the church of your choice this Sunday

Survivors include his wife: Bessie Pre-need funeral planning now Beach, Fla.; one son: Charlie C. available at Hayes **Funeral Home** children; four sisters-in-law: Annie

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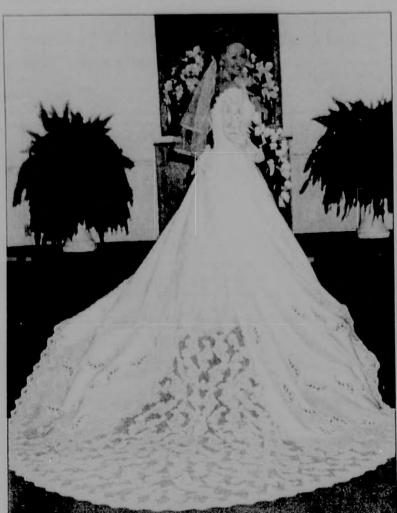


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# LIFESTYLES

### Martin - Sasser united in holy matrimony Father-Daughter



Mrs. William Clayton Martin

Amy Lee Sasser and William Clayton Martin were married Jan. 9, 1999 at five in the afternoon at Shiloh Baptist Church in Elba with pastor Larry Wise officiating. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Randy E. Sasser of Elba, and the groom is the son of Mr. and

Mrs. James R. Martin Jr. of Auburn. The bride was given in marriage by her father. Matron of honor was Chassidy Sasser, sister of the bride. Bridesmaids were Brandie Mann, Penny Walker and Marie Flowers. Flower girls were Autumn Sasser

and Harley Sasser. The best man was Clint Martin, brother of the groom. Groomsmen were Charlie Driggers, Jack Windham and Chris Flowers. Ring bearer was Cody Sasser.

guests at the registry table while Joseph Coppage and Billy Coppage provided music for the ceremony. A reception in the fellowship hall of the church immediately followed the ceremony. Amy Baker, Wendi Baker, Aaron Creel, Kayron Whitworth, Anna Head, Heather Dubose, Mandy Pope, Missy McDaniel and Jama Hutchison served the guests.

tains of Tennessee, the Martins community. For more information,

Cinderella Ball to be held in Enterprise

The 1999 Father-Daughter Cinderella Ball, a fundraiser sponsored by Enterprise Preparatory Academy parents, will be held Saturday, June 19, at 7:30 p.m. at the Enterprise State Junior College Multipurpose Room. "Prince Charming" fathers and their little "Cinderellas" will enjoy an enchanted evening dancing the night away while enjoying lovely refreshments, music and enchantment. Seating is limited so please call soon for your "royal" reservations. For tickets and information, call Sherri Jones at (334)347-0335.

History Department, coordinator of

- Syble Hahn; Corresponding

Mrs. Lois Hudson celebrates 90th Regional Grief & Loss Jill Martin and Katie Taff greeted Outreach Program to hold birthday volunteer training classes

The Regional Grief and Loss She is the wife of the late Lotus Methodist Church in Opp. All Outreach Program, sponsored in Hudson and the mother of four blood types are needed. conjunction by Community Care children, Mildred Cosby, Dothan, Hospice and AARP, will hold vol- Trudie Bryan, Leroy Hudson and unteer training classes on June 23- Harold Hudson, all of Elba. Mrs. 24-25 and 28. This program is for Hudson, better known as Moma individuals who would like to work Hut, has 10 grandchildren, 22 After a honeymoon in the moun- with the newly bereaved in the great-grandchildren and six great great-grandchildren. Moma Hut celebrated her birth-

day in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wildon Bryan, with a grand Lynn Weeks awarded Oustanding Graduate lunch enjoyed by family and friends. Her family thanks her for being a wonderful mother and a real Grand Mother. Lynn C. Weeks was awarded grade World History and eighth

Mrs. Hudson

Area students receive University Dothan at the Spring High School for 13 years. She is certificates from Wallace Honors Convocation held May 7, presently the chairperson of the Community College Mrs. Weeks was selected for the Homecoming activities, sponsor of Jacqueline P. Jackson and

award by her professors and pre- the Social Studies Team, Voter Natasha Tillis, both of Elba, were sented the award by TSUD presi- Registrar for Seniors, and Boys and among the students receiving certificates during the recent spring Degree in Social Science Education ing her School Counseling certifica- Wallace Community College in from 1996 to 1998, Mrs. Weeks tion and plans to begin work on the Dothan.

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Summer Library Program for children to begin soon

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The American Red Cross Blood Services Gulf Coast Region will host a blood drive in the Opp com-Mrs. Lois Hudson celebrated her munity on Friday, June 25, from 11 90th birthday on March 9, 1999. a.m. until 4 p.m. at the First United ................



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## **CHURCH**

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ing the Anchormen. Since their formation in 1979, the Anchormen have become one in Elba. Please make your donaof Gospel Music's most requested invites the public to attend this spe- 36323. cial evening. There is no admission charge - a love offering will be received. A nursery will be provided. Call the church office at 347-8447 for more information.

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Church News:

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tions at the bank or send to Lena groups. Pastor Ted Satterfield Farris Kendrick, Apt. 4, Elba, AL Rev. Jean Givensto be

guest speaker at Springhill Emmanuel Holiness Church Springhill Emmanuel Holliness

NOTICE

If anyone has friends or loved

Baptist Cemetery, the church needs

keep of the cemetery.

Church, located on Hwy. 167 past Ward's Grocery Store, will host Pastor Jean Givens as guest speaker on Thursday (TODAY), June 10, and Friday, June 11, at 7 p.m. each night. Givens is the pastor of Bethal Full Gospel of Montgomery. Everyone is invited to bring their church friends and neighbors to this special event.

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## **Investment Praying**

"Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God." (Philippians 4:6)

Life moves at warp speed. Our frantic, fast-paced lives leave us feeling drained. We're even too busy for prayer, the very thing that can replenish us. The saying is true: "Hurry is the death of prayer" Lives without prayer are lives without power. Too many irons in the fire can put our the fire. You might be thinking, Oh boy, here it comes. One more reminder of a responsibility that I am not fulfilling. One more evidence that my

Christian life doesn't measure up; one more demand that I don't need. Your friends say, "Spend time with us." Your parents say, "Come and see us." Your boss says, "Come in early and stay late." Prayer becomes just one more obligation t fulfill, something else to tap your time and energy. God never intended prayer to produce more stress but instead to reduce it. Your perspective about prayer makes the difference. Think of prayer as an investment, not an expense. When the farmer buys

seed, he doesn't view it as an expense but an investment. Sure, it costs him something, but eventually it will produce more than what he paid for it. Martin Luther is credited with saying, "I have so much to do that I must spend the first three hours each day in prayer." A well-known pastor once reminded me that we are "too busy not to pray!" Making contact with God in prayer sharpens us spiritually. The result is more power and effectiveness. God has been telling us this for years.

Ecclesiastes 10:10 says, "If the axe is dull and he does not sharpen its edge, then he must exert more strength." Since prayer is an investment, here are some high-yield prayer tips to include in your spiritual portfolio:

1) Use language you are comfortable with. 2) Get away from distractions to pray. 3) Begin your day with prayer.

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4) Keep a journal of your prayer experiences. 5) Strive for balance. Pray for different things and needs each day. God's promise to us from His word is peace of heart and mind if we will take the time to invest in prayer. (Philippians 4:7).

OF PROHECY J. E. Wesley, Pastor

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Morn. Worship ....

Even Service .....

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 10:00 a.m.

 Morn. Worship
 11:00 a.m.

 Sunday Afternoon
 5:30 p.m.

Allen Richards, Pastor

Sunday School......10:00 a.m.

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Morn. Worship......10:00 a.m.

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Sunday School......9:45 a.m.

Morn. Worship......11:00 a.m.

Even. Service......6:00 p.m.

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Morn. Worship. 11:00 a m. Even. Service. 5:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Service. 7:00 p.m.

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Sunday School.....

Morn. Worship.....

Rev. Robert Paul, Pastor day School.......9:00 a.m.

Rev. Marvin Ennis, Pastor ay School......9:00 a.m.

Homer F. Moore, Pastor

....7:00 p.m.

.....10:30 a.m.

....7:00 p.m.

.....6:15 p.m.

...10:00 a.m.

INO BAPTIST CHURCH

JACK ASSEMBLY OF GOD

.....6:00 p.m.

Mt. Calvary Missionary Baptist to have Bible ones buried in Bethlehem Primitive School in July

Get aboard the Vacation Bible School Train for loads of fun at There is a trust fund for the Mount Calvary Missionary Baptist cemetery set up at SouthTrust Bank Church in Elba. VBS will be held Noon each day. The church is located on County Road 528 and every-

> Church plans gospel singing

> > Calvary Baptist Church in Brantley will have a gospel singing on Saturday, June 12, beginning at 7 p.m. The featured group will be the "Waymakers." Everyone is

invites children to a castle adventure

The event will feature lively songs, Irma W. Townsend, director; Mrs. will be Elder Earnest Griggs from Kathleen (Kathy) Lanette skits, crafts, games, Bible studies Debra McClain, assistant director; the Church of God By Faith in Johnson and snacks - all the things that Mrs. Connie Banks, Mrs. Renita Auburn, Ala. popular with children and their par- Ms. Jennifer Holloway, Mrs. Sonya vices of Elba Zion Missionary Otis and Joyce (Belcher) Johnson of June 21 and continues through Pasley, Mrs. Victoria Shaw, Ms. Harold Rogers, pastor of Pleasant School in Tuscumbia and was an Friday, June 25. Classes are held at Deborah Siler, Ms. Fabreka Tillis, Grove Baptist Church in Enterprise. honor student in the top ten of her 537 Boll Weevil Cr., Enterprise, and Ms. Pamela Wallace. Revival evangelist will be Rev. J. class. On Senior Awards Day, she from 6-8:15 p.m. each night. For Congratulations Graduates! more information call the church office at 347-8447.

Friendship Baptist Church in the Holley Store Community will have Sunday School will be at 10 a.m. and worship service at 11 a.m. Rev. James Pickron will bring the 11 o'clock message. Lunch in the fellowship hall at the Noon hour. Everyone is welcome.

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July 12, 13 and 14 from 9 a.m. until Scripture: Genesis 1:1-31 Calvary Baptist

stand. - Mark Twain.

Enterprise First Assembly

make Vacation Bible School so Caldwell, Ms. Rosalyn Flowers. \*\*\*Homecoming and revival ser- Kathy Johnson is the daughter of ents. The SonCastle Faire Vacation Horace, Mrs. Kathryn Labarre, Ms. Baptist Church will be June 20-25. Tuscumbia, Ala. Kathy recently Bible School begins on Monday, Tracy Montgomery, Ms. Donna Homecoming speaker will be Rev. graduated from Deshler High

Hebron Baptist Church will hold the Zion Chapel community.

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May 28, 1999 at 7 p.m. in the sented a Certificate of Appreciation Townsend's Tots Auditorium in and a bouquet of flowers Rhaquille Bostic, Tiffany Rickea Townsend and Dr. Irma Townsend Britt, Gerardo Daniel Carmona, gave thanks to God for Wiley and Quentreal Larve, MaKeda Yavone Elba. God Bless You, Dee' Nard

Enterprise First Assembly of God Lavett Sharena Vann and Brian Church of God By Faith on Church invites children to a castle Vega. Administration and Staff: Mr. Caldwell St. in New Brockton will adventure set in merry old England. Alfred T. Townsend, owner; Dr. be June 14-18. The guest speaker

Dee'Nard Brooks

Dee'Nard Brooks present-

On May 28, 1999, Townsend's

....11:00 a.m. Wed. Even. ...

...11:00 a.m.

.....5:00 p.m. Fri. Even......

.....6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Service.

Wed. Bible Study ...

Morn. Worship.....

Even. Worship...

Bible Study.....

Wed. Prayer Meet.....

ed Savings Bond

Friendship Baptist Church to celebrate Homecoming Sunday, June 13th

VBS to be held at **Hebron Baptist** Church

Vacation Bible School (VBS) on Friday, June 11, and Saturday, June 12. Services on Friday will be from Tots, Inc. of Enterprise, held their 6-8:30 p.m. and on Saturday from 9 10th graduation exercises and celea.m. until 5 p.m. Hebron Baptist brated 10 years of DayCare Church VBS is for ages 3 through Services. Grade 6. The church is located in This night was also held as a spe-

Thinking of you, praying for you: and his parents, Wiley and Juanita Rubert Tillis, the Coon family, Ada Brooks, and his sister, Ree'Nita, all Jones, Rev. James R. Mullins, John of Enterprise. Ten years ago. and Addie Burnett, Glen Kelley Townsend's Tots opened its doors. \*\*\*Most people are bothered by One child was enrolled at that time. those passages of scripture they do The child was Dee'Nard Brooks. not understand, but the passages Townsend's Tots presented that bother me are those I do under- Dee' Nard with a \$100 Savings Bond towards his college education. \*\*\*Townsend's Tots, Inc. 10th His sister, Ree'Nita, was given a Graduation Exercises were held teddy bear and his parents were pre

Enterprise. Graduates were: Owners of the daycare, Mr. Alfred Anthony James Garcia, Coy Chris Juanita Brooks entrusting their son Dion Green, DeAndre DeShaun to them. Dee'Nard's grandparent Harper, Kristina Louise Johnson, are: Ella M. Brooks, Enterprise and ShikTe' Aishia King, Kavandae Grover and Eria Lindsey Belcher o McCloud, Jared McKenzie Ray, \*\*\*The annual revival of the

Frayer, pastor of Greater Sardis received several awards and certifi-First Baptist and Clay Hill Baptist cates. Among them was a exercises were held in the Joe L. Reed Acadome at 8 p.m. on June 3. Minister Joyce B. Johnson,

Enterprise; and Eria Lindsey Belcher and the late Tillman and Belcher of Elba. MB Church in Elba. The program succeed." -Sheridon. will be Timothy Whitfield of New full

Philadelphia C.O.G.I.C. in Elba.

Presidential Scholarship from Fisk \*\*\*Konika Tahirah Belcher, University in Nashville, Tenn. daughter of Milton and Bettye Kathy plans to attend Fisk and even-Belcher of Montgomery, was a 1999 tually become an elementary school honor graduate of Sidney Lanier counselor. Kathy has one brother, High School. The commencement

Theo, who is an engineer living in Birmingham, Ala. Kathy's grand-Tuscumbia; Wiley, Juanita, Belcher, Elba. Her great-grandpar-Dee'Nard and Ree'Nita Brooks of ents are the late Oliver and Hessie

Kathleen Lanette Johnson

Nettie R. Lindsey, Elba. \*\*\*The traditional Children's Kathy, keep God in you life Day (Program) will be celebrated always and remember: "The surest Sunday, June 13, at Rocky Head way not to fail is to determine to will begin at 2 p.m., and the speaker Today is a good day, be grate-

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MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH ....6:00 p.m. Morn. Worship.......11:00 a.m. NEW EBENEZER BAPTIST Gerry Winstead, Pastor Sunday School. 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship. 11:00 a.m. MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH Wed. Prayer Meet..... Rev. Bobby Driver, Interim Pastor Wed. Prayer Meeting......7:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meeting.......7:00 p.m. Morn. Worship..... ....9:45 a.m. Rev. Otis Hughes, Pastor Sunday School.....

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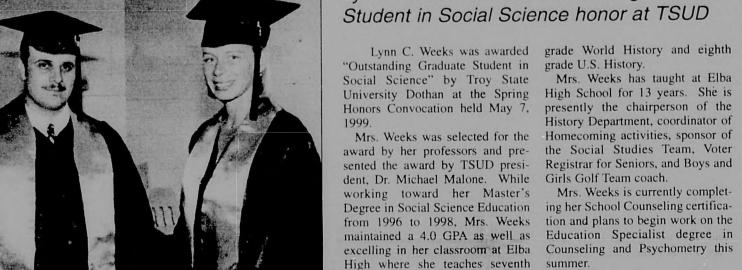
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O Sunday 10 & 11 a.m. 2nd & 4th Sunday WHITEWATER BAPTIST CHURCH ...7:00 p.m. OAK GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH NEWBIA BAPTIST CHURCH PERDUE ASSEMBLY OF GOD WOODLAND GROVE BAPTIST .....11:00 a.m. ROCKY HEAD M.B. CHURCH Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Even. Worship 6:00 p.m. A. R. Williams, Pastor Morn. Worship 11:00 a.m. Even. Worship 6:30 p.m. Sunday School 10:00 a. Ls & 3rd Sundays Wed Bible Study 6:30 p.m. Sunday School 10:00 a. NEW CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH 2nd & 4th Sundays Rev. Elbert Smith, Pastor Sunday School..................9:45 a.m. .....9:45 a.m. Sunday School .... Morn. Worship.... .....5:00 p.m. Even. Serv .....6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet .....6:00 p.m Rev. F. L. Flowers, Pastor ....10:00 a.m. Sunday School .....11:00 a.m. Morn. Worship..... .5:30 p.m. Praise Service Mon. ......6:30 p.m Wed. Bible Study. Sunday School 10:00 a.m. NEW HAVEN BAPTIST CHURCH SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Ben Amlong, Pastor Larry Wise, Pastor Morn. Worship... .....6:30 p.m TAYLOR HILL COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH Pastor Billy Paul McCollough

Tues Bible Study

Friday Prayer Meeting

Thurs. Night Service.





JONATHAN BATCHELOR OF JACK AND MICHELE FARRIS OF ELBA get ready for the Thirty-third Commencement Exercises held recently at Enterprise State Junior College. The Honorable Ralph Cook, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of Alabama, addressed the gradu-

Revolution, will have a business seek SAR membership."

The meeting is open to all active required, Kemp said.

tion regarding membership. 684-9327.

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the year. They were greeted at the installed were: President - Addie door by President Miriam Farris, Belle Martin; Vice-President -June 17th in Enterprise who presided over the fruit punch Gene Kennett; Recording Secretary Members of the Wiregrass Kemp II said, "There is a standing Chapter, Sons of the American invitation to all who may qualify to

The invocation was offered by Secretary - Addileen Newman; Addileen Newman before each Treasurer - June Thompson; found her place card on the elegant- Parliamentarian - Alline Lee; and ly prepared dining table. After the Historian - Lurlene Martin. delicious brunch, the group assem- Others attending were: Margaret meeting starting at noon June 17 in Aid is offered in preparation of bled in the living room fro the busi- Hasty, Mavis Davis, and guest Po' Folks Restaurant on the by-pass applications and when possible the

ness session. research to locate documentation The president led in the

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McCall, Joey McCrummen, Mindy

Amy Mascorro, Sumer McDonald,

Leann Newell, Brittany Scofield,

Tana Smith, Lee Watson

Zach Spann, Wesley Stokes

Wiregrass Hospice "New Beginnings" Support Group to meet

Wiregrass Hospice of Enterprise will begin the "New Beginnings" Support Group on Monday, June 14. This is a five week educational grief group designed to help those who have lost a loved one. Topics will include the stages of grief, loneliness in grief, unresolved grief issues

plus much, much more. The group will be offered from 6-7 p.m. on June 14, June 21, June 28, July 12 and July 19. The group will meet at the Wiregrass Hospice Office located in Colony Square at 557 Glover Avenue in Enterprise. There is no cost and anyone who has lost a loved one is welcome to attend. For more information please call the Bereavement Department at 1-800-626-1101.

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### **Coffee County Vegetable Tour** To be Held June 10

The Coffee County Vegetable Tour will be held on Thursday (TODAY), June 10, at Joey Powell's farm. Will meet at the "Pea Patch," Powell's newly opened fresh produce stand. This is located on Highway 27, approximately 7 miles south of Enterprise. It is 1/4 mile south of Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church. The meeting will last from 10 a.m. until about 12 Noon. Dr. Joe Kemble and Dr. Eric Simmone, Auburn University Vegetable Specialists, will

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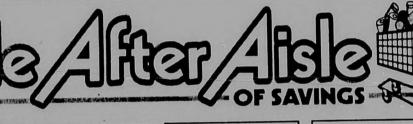
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a.m. followed by a doubles round Championship Domino Tournament The singles tournament starts at 8 robin at 1 p.m. Finals in adult sinis set for Andalusia July 9-10 with a.m. on Friday followed by a singles gles and doubles begins at 7 p.m. hundreds of players expected to round robin at 1 p.m. The Fantastic Awards will be presented around 9 compete for the title of world cham- Domino Car Sweepstakes starts at 7 p.m. Saturday. p.m. On Saturday, a draw for part-

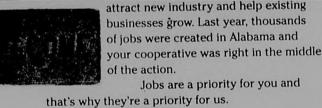
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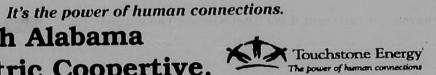


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How can my child's school be dents would be expected to show improved? There would be special that they are meeting high standards attention to low-performing schools of excellence at key points in their - intensive teacher training and education, including graduation extra after school and summer help from high school. In addition, the

for students trying to catch up, practice of social promotion would

based on proven school reform be ended, not by holding students

methods. (Nineteen states have back indefinitely, buy by providing

already shown success by taking qualified teachers, meaningful after-

such actions. President Clinton's school and summer school probudget includes \$200 million to grams, smaller classes, and other

help more states and school districts ways to help students make the

make these important improve- grade. I look forward to working

ments.) How can classroom disci- with Congress to pass the

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expelled from school would receive have an important role to play. appropriate supervision, counseling Research shows that your personal

and other services. How can the involvement can make all the differ-

Service hours by Elba Work Release

Inmates shows increase during May

by Linda Hodge, Staff Writer inmates for street and general labor

The number of service hours pro- inmates for general labor work; the

vided on community projects by Elba National Guard used 15

Department of Corrections inmates inmates for maintenance and clean-

from the Elba Work Release facility ing projects; the Elba Recreation

continued to reflect an increase dur- Dept. used 10 inmates to clean the

A total of 238 inmates worked for inmates to help cut the grass; the

1,832 hours on projects in Elba, Town of Kinston used 27 inmates

Kinston, Enterprise, Daleville and for garbage pickup and general

with the Alabama Forestry labor work; the Alabama Forestry Commission and Adopt-a-Mile pro- Commission used 30 inmates for

gram, according to information cleaning state parks and picking up

released by Dewayne Estes, warden pine cones; the Enterprise National

of the Elba Work Release facility. Guard used 20 inmates and the

requesting the assistance of the inmates for maintenance and clean-

work release inmates included: the ing projects; the City of Daleville

Elba Police Department, City of used 40 inmates for general labor

Elba, Elba Recycling, Elba National projects; and the Adopt-a-Mile pro-

Guard, Elba Recreation gram used 10 inmates to help with

Town of Kinston, Enterprise By the end of the month, these

National Guard, Daleville National 238 work release inmates had pro-

Guard, and City of Daleville. vided services equaling a dollar

Department, Elba High School, picking up paper.

cars, cleaning the office and general

Agencies within the local cities Daleville National Guard used 13

the school to do the same? All stu-

\_\_ labor; the City of Elba used 35

work; Elba Recycling used 16

city pool; Elba High School used 3

World (WOW) Lodge #1932 and Coffee County Baptist Brotherhood Association recently completed a much needed construction project at the Coffee County Training Center

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WOW Lodge member and chairman of trustees, Mack Westbrook, assisted by Kenneth Ward, president of the Coffee County Baptist Brotherhood, coordinated the project with the two organizations providing the labor work force. The training center facility for the

located near the Enterprise Airport and is a brick building which formerly housed the Enterprise Police Pictured above are several of the men who took part in the renovation pro-The construction/renovation pro- Westbrook and Mack Westbrook, Jim Gilmer, Hayes Ammons, Billy Joe

mentally handicapped adults is

ject consisted of adding a portico on Richburg, and Fred Duff. the west side of the building where chairs) in rainy weather.

the building was converted into a located in Elba hosted a fish fry on and Ralph Sharpless with the two large garage doors office as a gesture of appreciation to lodge 1932 and WOW representawide door and three windows. Those participating in this worth- a job well done.

the vans could load and unload pas- and Home Builders Association of Danny Wiggins, Lloyd Helms, Nick sengers (especially those in wheel- Enterprise - donated money and Shepard, Billy Joe Richburg, Fred Duff, Jim Gilmer, Danny Jernigan, The large garage in the center of Members of WOW Lodge 1932 Hayes Ammons, Doug Dalrymple, new dining/multi-purpose room June 4 at the WOW Lodge and A special thanks from WOW

ject. They are (l-r): kneeling Ben and Jason Ryals; standing - Chip

being removed and replaced with a all who had a part in this project. tives Chip and Linda Westbrook for Access to the kitchen from this area while project were: Billy Bedsole, An Open House will be held at was made by making an opening in Danny Bourne, Dwan Davis, Larry the Center on Sunday, June 27, from

the brick wall and installing a door. Murphy, Daron Maloy, Mack 3 to 4 p.m. for friends to come see Tiffany Wilson Several clubs and businesses - Westbrook, Jason Ryals, Ben Ryals, the new additions. For more infor-Windham Lumber, Rawls Charles Whatley, Chip Westbrook, mation on this event, contact Jim Hardware, Enterprise Altrusia Club Mark Ward, Kenneth Ward, Rev. and Nell Gilmer at 893-2182. Educational excellence for all children

by U.S. Secretary of Education quality of teaching be improved? ence — read to young children, share and discuss books with older Ask most American parents what make sure they have the skills and children, and encourage reading they want for their children, and the knowledge they need to teach the through the summer months. Check first answer is likely to be a good subjects they'll be teaching. This homework every night. Stay in education. But how can you know would help to make sure that no touch with teachers and principals. if your child's school is really per- teachers are teaching 'out of field,' Limit TV viewing. And engage in forming well? Recently, we pro- such as social studies teachers conversation — about values, the posed "The Educational Excellence teaching math or science, as hap- dangers of drugs, alcohol and tobacfor All Students Act," which would pens all to often. And there would co, the everyday hurts and fears of go a long way toward addressing be new efforts to recruit, retain and growing up. Call 1-800-USAsome of your most important support good teachers, especially in LEARN for more ideas about ways

school-related concerns. How good high-poverty schools. How can we to become more involved in is my child's school? States and get smaller classes in my child's improving your child's education. school districts would be required to school? Under this proposal Every child can learn and every give all parents annual report cards 100,000 new teachers would be adult can make a difference in the that include essential information hired, allowing class size in grades life of a child. We must expect on student achievement, teacher 1-3 to be reduced to a national aver- much of our children — and be prequalifications, class size, attendance age of 18 students. This would give pared to give much in return for Samantha Peacock, Lance Rushing

### Kinston Elementary School Honor Roll 4th Nine Weeks

"A" Honor Roll

Brandon Balaski, Jake Blackmon, Angel Francisco, Bradley Hataway, Anthony Pezza, Christopher Lee Devine, Hannah Forehand, Trey Kendrick, Kasi McDonald, Scofield, Jessie Sessions, Eric Wise Gavin Free, Behtany Holley, Amber Dustin Reeves, Rob Sanders, Zach Jacobs, Ric Johnson, Joseph Spann, Brittany Thomaston Nobles, Kallie Rhodes, Erin Shaw, Amber Smith, Abby Williams

Dalton Fuller, Wesley Hunko, Alx McCall, Garret Parker, Candace Kelley, Holli Kilcrease, Calina Patterson, Ramsey Phillips, Haley 4th Grade Norris, Erick Odom, Tyler Wilson, Spears, Mindy Wise

Whitney Davis, Aaron Jacobs, Reeves Ashley E. Kelley, John Moss, Kourteney Pierce, Caitlin Tindell, Beth Vaughan, Christie Whigham, Monica Wilford

Joshua Grice, Courtney Weeks

Ashley Carter, Josh Driver, Brittany Hunko, Casey Mack

Breeann Hattaway, Brittany Holley, 2nd Grade

"A-B" Honor Roll

Clelsea Allen, Alissa Atwell, Forest Brown, Ben Devine, Jacob Holtum, Kit Johnson, Taylor Lentini, Amber Shehee, Chelsea Weatherington, Marika Whitehurst

Crystal Baker, Taylor Davis, Tracy Edwards, Maeghann Hawthorne, AJ Johnson, Allen Mack, Caleb Norris, Ashton Parker, Emily Parker, Anthony Pezza, Kevin Rachel, Eric Reese, Jessica Reeves, Christopher Scofield, Jessie Sessions, Lane Taylor, Nickolas Weeks, Judd

Suzanne Chance, Clay Craig, Brittany Holley, Blake Johnson, Deanna Manning, Heather Marlowe, Ashley McCall,

Brock Barlette, Nicole Boswell, Caleb Norris, Calina Norris,

Al Davis, Brittney Donaldson, Moss, Samantha Peacock, Baline Drury, Josh Holtum, Amber Kourteney Pierce, Branden Reese

Billy Johnson, Kim Mack, Josh Kaliegh Sanders, Lashea Smith,

Perfect Attendance Hunter Anderson, Timothy Ballard, Dubose, Josh Holtum, Brittany

Allison Bess, Jahna Pierce, Ashley Hunko, Casey Mack Amber Snell, Daniel Williams

> Jacob Holtum, Marika Whitehurst, Breeann Hattaway, Kristen Hunt, Abby Williams, Joey Yates

Tracy Edwards, Dalton Fuller,

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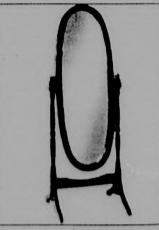


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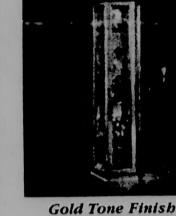


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# **SPORTS**

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### THE PRESSBOX

By Ricky Mularz

The girls softball season will draw to an end this week here in Elba, and since the city pool is now open, it is ending at just the right time for Melanie. We have always had a rule in the Mularz house that swimming and softball don't mix, and over the years the girls have never been allowed to swim on the day of practice or a game. That rule caused a little grief at times, and will for a few more weeks during All-Star practice, but soon the city pool will be the #1 stop for Mom's taxi.

#### CLEANING OFF THE DESK....

\*\*\* A lot of people think that the youth baseball and softball seasons end too early, but any coach can tell you that once school gets out, the number of players coming to practice and games dwindles drastically, and such is true once again this season as many teams are having to find "pick-ups" at SUNS 13 the parks to have enough players to field a team. I know that youngsters like to visit relatives and also understand that once school is out playing ball and practicing is almost as bad as going to school. One coach suggested last week that next year the season needs to start earlier, with only one game a week per team, and only one game per night to allow the players to get home early, until school is almost out. There is never a fool proof solution, but that is one that will be studied!

\*\*\* The All-Stars teams will be selected soon in all the baseball and softball leagues, and this year the selection process will be changed in a neverending attempt to find the best way, or at least a better way of picking the All-Star teams. The baseball leagues will pick all-stars through a ballot, with coaches voting on the league's best players on a point system, while over in softball the head coach of the All-Star team will receive nominations and then choose the team, with a guarantee that all teams are represented. If you have any better way, let us know before next season and we'll give it some thought.

\*\*\* The Suns, a team in the Elba Senior Girls Softball League, participated in a youth softball tournament last weekend in Enterprise and won five straight games to win the tourney championship in the "16 and Under" division. There were 14 teams in the double-elimination event, and the local girls walked off the field with the championship trophy around 12:45 AM on Sunday morning, after playing their first game Saturday morning at 8:00 AM. The girls were tired and sleepy, but excited about winning the tournament. Good job girls, you represented the league well!

\*\*\* The NCAA voted last week to allow its member schools to play a 12th regular season game in the 2002, 2003, 2008, 2013 and 2014 seasons. The reason for the change was simple - more money for the colleges! Florida has already scheduled a 12th game against Miami for the 2002 and 2003 dates, while Alabama's Mike Dubose stated he wanted the extra game to be a home game, and not a game in which the Tide would have to travel on a home-and-home basis. No matter how the coaches look at it, it means more money for the school, and that is the bottom line.

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Win five straight at Enterprise tourney

# Suns bring home tourney crown

five games without a loss last weekend to claim the championship of the Enterprise Youth Softball Invitational, sponsored by the Enterprise Department of Leisure

The Suns competed in the "16 and Under" division of the 14-team tournament and outscored their opponents 63-7 in five games to take Following are highlights of the

ANGELS 0

tournament action:

The Suns managed only two hits in the opening two innings, but then broke loose and plated 11 runs in the next two innings to post a 13-0, five inning win over the Angels, from Geneva. The Suns took advantage of errors to grab a 2-0 lead after two innings, then bunched six hits in the third to stretch their lead to 9-0, and used a three-run homer by Aubretta

Melissa Mularz and Michelle Lewis both got 2 hits and knocked in SUNS 10 2 runs to lead the Suns at the plate, while Aubretta Williams had 3 rbi's on one big hit. Katie Vaughan, Melissa Mularz, Aubretta Williams, McCollough all scored 2 runs. The to reach second base.

LADY TIGERS: 4 The Suns pulled out to an early 7-

0 lead and turned back a mild rally to tame the Lady Tigers, of Samson, 17-4. Melissa Mularz got two early paved the way to the win, with Raeann McCollough and Rachel Bludsworth getting home-runs. SUNS 13

3 runs and collected 2 rbi's to lead



TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONS....showing off their trophies and individual awards from last week's Enterprise Youth Invitational are (front row, I-r) Raeann McCollough, Devri Kilcrease, Brittney Mobley, Tara Grant, Denise Cooper, Katie Vaughan, (standing, 1-r) Melissa Mularz, Roshanda McKinnon, Coach Ricky Mularz, Aubretta Williams in the fourth to put the win Williams, Rachel Bludsworth, Michelle Lewis, Casey Skinner, Lakia Flowers and Coach Earl McCollough.

crossed the plate twice.

THUNDER 2

Brittney Mobley and Raeann win. The Suns managed only one hit Aubretta Williams as they rolled to 2 hits, scored 2 runs and collected 2 over the first three innings and the win. Suns defense allowed only two hits trailed 1-0 heading into the top of Aubretta Williams got 3 hits, hits and scored 2 runs, and Michelle and never allowed an Angel runner the fourth, but grabbed the lead at 3- scored 3 runs and collected 5 rbi's to Lewis and Casey Skinner both and their bats finally woke up as the hits to drive in two runs and Suns scored six runs in the final two SUNS 10 Roshanda McKinnon ripped a threeframes to blow the game open.

THUNDER 0 run homer to lift the Suns to an early

Melissa Mularz got 3 hits and

The Suns pulled ahead early and with 8 hits, 6 rbi's and 5 runs scored; 7-0 lead, only to see the Lady Tigers scored 2 runs to lead the Suns at the then pulled away to post a 10-0, five Katie Vaughan with 7 hits and 8 runs

Melissa Mularz got 3 hits, scored WICKSBURG 1 the Suns at the plate, while Aubretta in the bottom of the first inning and two-run homer. The Suns ended the and 7 rbi's; Tara Grant with 4 rbi's; Williams, Michelle Lewis and Raeann McCollough all added 2 hits and knocked in 2 runs. Rachel Bludsworth scored 4 runs and drove Bludsworth scored 4 runs and drove in 2 runs and Brittney Mobley.

In the bottom of the first inning and coasted in with a 13-1, five-inning ame in the bottom of the fifth as they banged out seven hits, with winner's bracket finals. The Suns bunched six straight hits in the bottom of the first inning and coasted in with a 13-1, five-inning ame in the bottom of the fifth as they banged out seven hits, with Cooper with a .500 batting average; and Devri Kilcrease with 2 rbi's. in 2 runs, and Brittney Mobley tom of the first to take command McKinnon.

early, with the key hits being a dou- Rachel Bludsworth got 3 hits, ble by Aubretta Williams and a two-including 2 home-runs, knocked in 3 out single by Casey Skinner. The runs and scored 3 runs to lead the Suns added 4 runs on six hits in the Suns at the plate, while Aubretta The Suns spotted the Enterprise third inning to stretch their lead to Williams added 3 hits, ripped one Thunder an early 1-0 lead and then 10-0, and moved on top 13-0 in the home-run, knocked in 2 runs and came storming back to post a 10-2 fourth on a long three-run homer by scored 2 runs. Melissa Mularz added

1 in the inning as Aubretta Williams lead the Suns to the win, while added 2 hits. knocked in two runs with a triple, Brittney Mobley and Raeann and then scored on a sacrifice fly by McCollough both added 2 hits and Aubretta Williams got 11 hits, Roshanda McKinnon. The Suns lead knocked in 2 runs, and Roshanda including 3 home-runs, scored 11 stood at 4-2 after five innings; how- McKinnon had 2 hits. Melissa runs and collected 14 runs-batted-in ever, their defense shut down the Mularz, Roshanda McKinnon and to lead the Suns in the five-game Thunder over the final two frames Michelle Lewis all scored 2 runs. sweep, while Melissa Mularz. also

four innings, their bats woke up and Vaughan also got 2 hits and scored 2 ahead 1-0 in the first inning on a and 7 rbi's; Raeann McCollough long solo home-run by Rachel with 6 hits, 1 home-run, 5 runs Bludsworth, then moved on top 5-0 scored and 5 rbi's; Roshanda in the third when Melissa Mularz McKinnon with 6 hits, I home-run, knocked in 2 runs with a single, and 6 runs scored and 6 rbi's; Brittney The Suns jumped out to a 6-0 lead Aubretta Williams followed with a Mobley with 6 hits, 5 runs scored

banged out 11 hits, scored 11 runs and collected 7 rbi's. Other top performances included Michelle Lewis pull within 7-4 in the bottom of the third. While the Suns' defense third. While the Suns' defense allowed only three hits over the final allowed only three hits over the final knocked in 2 runs, and Katie championship. The Suns jumped 5 rbi's; Casey Skinner with 6 hits

\*\*\* LADYBUGS 15 CLIPPERS Hutcherson and Torie Stone both \*\*\* PRIME TIME 14 BROS Lindley added 2 hits each. John 12 - In Coach-Pitch action. Mytisha got 2 hits and scored 2 runs to lead Andrews, Caitlin Edwards and the Buzz, while Tierza Yelverton Sierra White all scored 3 runs for scored 2 runs. Tiffany Johnson and the Ladybugs, while Jessica Hilyer Brittany Caldwell both got 1 hit and scored 2 runs. Megan Sullivant and scored 1 run for the Bandits. Maisie Thomas both scored 3 runs \*\*\* BATS 9 LOOKOUTS 6 - The for the Clippers, while Kydra Tillis Bats pulled ahead early and held on scored 2 runs. \*\*\* LOOKOUTS 8 BOMBERS 6 and Under action. The bats jumped - The Lookouts pulled away late to out to an early 4-0 lead and turned down the Bombers 8-6, in 12 and back a late challenge to post the Under action. The Lookouts trailed win. Summer Strickland and 5-4 after four innings, but plated 4 Haleigh Duncan both got 2 hits and runs in the bottom of the fourth to scored 2 runs for the Bats, while

## Dixie Youth & Dixie Minor have busy week

The Elba Dixie Youth and Dixie jumped out to a 4-1 lead in the top of \*\*\* INDIANS 6 D'BACKS 5 - The Brewers saw a 7-0 lead in the top of

Minor Baseball Leagues had a busy the first and rolled to the big win. Indians pulled ahead early and held the fourth turn into an 8-7 deficit in week, with the Phillies making noise Trey Martin and Jordan Flowers on late to down the Diamondbacks the bottom of the inning after a

to pound the Braves 16-4, in Dixie scored one run.

4, in Dixie Minor action. The A's runs.

DIAMOND DOLLS WIN ELBA TOURNEY....The Diamond Dolls, of

Enterprise, won the championship of the Elba Youth Softball Tournament,

held on May 22, in Elba. Team members include Jessica Barnard, Sharde

Williams, Mandy Love, Tara McGrath, Casi Whittaker, Candice

Whitehurst, Christy Grimes, Shantecha Williams, Courtney Barnes,

Tiffany McGrath, Susan Speigner, Kerri Myers and Coaches A.L. Barnard

and scored 3 runs to lead the Phillies scored six runs in the bot- hit and scored I run. Marlins, while Stephen Driggers tom of the second to take a 7-6 lead, \*\*\* INDIANS 12 D'BACKS 9 - all Marlins from that point on as added 1 hit and scored 2 runs, and and then added six more runs in the The Indians pulled ahead early and they coasted in with the easy win. both Matthew Brunson and Nicholas third to pull away and post the win. held on late once again to claim a Martin McCormick got 1 hit and Nelson scored 3 runs. Bobby Luke Taylor and Jason Sanders both wild 12-9 win over the scored 3 runs to lead the Marlins, Hudson, Eric Butts, Jahmal Brown got 1 hit and scored 2 runs to lead Diamondbacks, in Dixie Youth while Nicholas Nelson got 1 hit and and Cory Miller all scored a run for the Phillies, while T.J. Winters action. The Indians jumped out to an scored 2 runs, and Stephen Driggers,

added 1 hit and scored once. Stefaun early 12-3 lead and then survived a Matthew Brunson and Robert Paul \*\*\* A'S 14 BLUE JAYS 4 - The A's Burks got 2 hits and scored once to late D'Back rally to post the win. all scored 2 runs. Ryan Roehler jumped ahead early and never spark the Angels, while Trey Mason Gulley got 4 hits and scored scored the Rays only run. looked back to rip the Blue Jays 14- Grantham got 1 hit and scored 2 3 runs to lead the Indians, while \*\*\* BLUE JAYS 5 CUBS 1 - The scored 2 runs.

\*\*\* DODGERS 13 ANGELS 10 - added 1 hit and scored 1 run. Nathan The Dodgers pushed across 3 runs in Calhoun got 1 hit and scored the the top of the seventh inning to post lone Cubs run. an exciting 13-10 win over the \*\*\* A'S 10 TIGERS 3 - The A's Angels, in Dixie Youth action. The scored early and often to down the Dodgers owned a 4-0 lead after Tigers 10-3, in Dixie Minor action. three innings, but saw the Angels The A's scored 3 runs in the top of take the lead and then had to stage a the first to take the quick lead and late rally to pull out the wild win. then added 5 runs in the second to Luke Simmons got 4 hits and scored take command. John Jared, Caleb 3 runs to lead the Dodgers, while Bannin and Graham Morrow all got Tad Adams and B.J. Berry both got 1 hit for the A's, while Trey Martin 3 hits and scored 2 runs. Wesley and Zachary Tyler scored 2 runs McCormick added 3 hits and Adam each. Kyle Purvis got 1 hit and

escape with a 9-8 win over the

Phillies, in Dixie Youth action. The

in Dixie Youth action and the both scored 3 runs to lead the A's, 6-5, in Dixie Youth action. The Phillies uprising; however, the Marlins continuing to lead the pack while John Jared and Clint Indians jumped out to a 3-0 lead in Phillies scored 2 runs in their final Bradshaw scored 2 runs each. the first inning, but saw the D'Backs at-bat to escape with the win. Heath Following are highlights of last Deymond Williams got 2 hits and rally and pull even, and then had to Parker and Aaron Harrelson both got scored 2 runs to lead the Jays, while score in the final at-bat to edge out 2 hits and scored 2 runs to spark the \*\*\* MARLINS 16 BRAVES 4 - Adam Henderson and Brad the win. Lonzo Cook got 1 hit and Brewers, while Clark Skinner added The Marlins scored runs in bunches Sullivant both added 1 hit and scored 2 runs to lead the Indians, 1 hit and scored 2 runs. T.J. Winters while LaRay Williams and Jauan and Hayden Osborn both got 1 hit Minor action. The Marlins trailed 2- \*\*\* PHILLIES 13 ANGELS 9 - Starks both had 1 hit and scored 1 and scored 1 run for the Phillies. 0 after the top of the first, but scored The Phillies spotted the Angels an run. Wayne Eubanks and Drew \*\*\* MARLINS 16 RAYS 1 - The seven runs in the bottom of the early 6-1 lead and then staged a wild Donaldson both got 2 hits for the Marlins scored almost at will to frame to take the lead and rolled to rally to pull out an exciting 13-9 D'Backs, while Matthew Hattaway dump the Rays 16-1, in Dixie Minor the win. Chase Boutwell got 3 hits win, in Dixie Youth action. The and Jonathan Bryant both added 1 action. The Rays scored in the top of

LaRay Williams added 3 hits and Blue Jays pulled ahead early and Lewis Johnson got 2 hits and scored held on to down the Cubs 5-1, in 2 runs. Drew Donaldson got 3 hits Dixie Minor action. The Jays and scored 3 runs to lead the jumped out to a 2-0 lead in the top of Indians, while Matt Creech added 3 the first and added 3 runs in the third hits and scored 2 runs and Kyle to claim the win. Adam Henderson Cheesbrough added 2 hits and got 1 hit and scored 2 runs to lead the Jays, while Deymond Williams

scored 1 run for the Tigers, while \*\*\*BREWERS 9 PHILLIES 8 - Nathan Foster added 1 hit. The Brewers staged a late rally to

# **SPORTS**

ings. Following are highlights of last Mariners and Kendall Chappell and and Forrest Wilkinson all scored 2 Trey Belcher and Jason Mitchell all University of South Alabama. Watching Fleming put her name on the dot-

both scored 3 runs for the Dodgers, Michael Jackson, Taylor Cotton,

Elba Mens Softball League has

The Men's Softball League had a runs in the opening inning to grab a

short week of play, but long games, big lead and then held on late to

with plenty of runs scored every escape with a 14-13 win over the

night. Following are highlights of Bros Club. Randy Strickland and

\*\*\* DORSEY 13 BAMA 11 - PrimeTime, while Marcus Parker

Dorsey Trailers pulled ahead early got 4 hits for the Bros Club and

11. Dorsey jumped out to an early \*\*\* BROS CLUB 13 ELBA

9-2 lead and turned back a late STARS 5 - The Bros Club pulled

Bama rally to get the win. Tony away late to dump the Elba Stars

Griffin, Ralph Sanders, Richie 13-5. The score was tied at 5-5 after

Rugg and Marcus Parker all got 3 three innings, but the Bros Club

hits for Dorsey, while Eric Dauphin never quit scoring and pulled away

and Anthony Jones had 3 hits each for the win. Jordan got 3 hits for the

CLUB 13 - PrimeTime scored 10 Phillips got 2 hits for the Stars.

another short week of action

Private schools dominate poll

### St. Pauls named state "All-Sports" champion

Yankees remaining atop the stand- Bryant scored 3 runs for the while Kyle Roehler, Brandon Lee Kendall Chappell, Chance Goosby,

Episcopal High School, in Mobile, rounds. to claim the coveted All-Sports was tops in 1A. crown, followed by Briarwood Following are the "Top 10" in Montgomery Academy 71, (4) 34.

sports sponsored by the Alabama 37.5, (3) Donoho 37, (4) St. Jude Randolph County 17.5.

\*\*\* YANKEES 11 MARINERS 8 - each.

Bats & Bombers get big

Following are highlights of last run for the Blaze.

Yoquesha Terry all scored 2 runs. scored 2 runs.

extra base hit and scored a run to Lookouts.

Stephanie Baxley got 3 hits and for the Blaze.

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scored 3 runs to lead the Bats, while

ing dates and times:

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wins in girls softball league

The Elba Girls Softball League Summer Strickland added 2 hits.

continued to roll along with excite- Anna Bryant, Deanna Donaldson

ment in every game played. and Andrea Holloway all scored 1

\*\*\* CLIPPERS 19 RED STIXX - In Coach-Pitch action, Brittney

17 - In Coach-Pitch action. Long and Natalie Newsome both

Meredith Brunson, April Finedore scored 3 runs for the Cobras, while

and Kydra Tillis all scored 3 runs Brittney Eubanks scored 2 runs.

for the Clippers, while Megan Chessie Cross scored 3 runs for the

Sullivant, Maisie Thomas and Red Stixx and Ashley Carpenter

Ashley Bailey scored 4 runs for the \*\*\* BUZZ 8 BANDITS 5 - The

Red Stixx, while Ashley Carpenter Buzz pulled ahead early and held on

scored 3 runs and Brittany Johnson, late to down the Bandits 8-5, in 10

Courtney Richardson, Chessie and Under action. The Buzz scored

Cross and Tierney Starks all scored 5 runs in the second to take the lead

The Birmingham News 10 finishers in most sports and the CLASS 2A - (1) Altamont 70, (2) West Point 26, (8) Guntersville 25 announced recently that St. Paul Top 8 in sports that had playoff Randolph 56, (3) Mars Hill Bible (9) Cherokee County 23.5 and (10) had won the 1999 All-Sports State In individual classes, Hoover Southern Choctaw 25, (6) Hatton CLASS 5A - (1) John Carroll Championship for high school topped 6A, John Carroll Catholic 23.5, (7t) Cold Springs 23, (7t) Catholic 102.5, (2) Athens 71, (3) led 5A, St. Paul's was on top in 4A, Hazelwood 23, (9) West Morgan Cullman 64.5, (4) Scottsboro 61, (5) St. Paul's won four girls state Briarwood led in 3A, Altamont was 22.5 and (10) Geraldine 21. Walker 48, (6) Blount 42.5, (7) championships and two boys titles on top in 2A and Houston Academy CLASS 3A - (1) Briarwood Gadsden 41, (8) Ft. Payne 38.5, (9)

\*\*\* COBRAS 14 RED STIXX 11

and held on for the win. Valerie

late to down the Lookouts 9-6, in 12

51, (4) Alabama Christian 44.5, (5) Geneva 23

The points were based on state CLASS 1A - (1) Houston County 29, (8) Falkville 25, (9) 82.5, (4) McGill-Toolen 78.5, (5) finish in the 20 state championship Academy 53, (2) Madison Academy Lauderdale County 19.5 and (10) Pelham 67.5, (6) Mt. Brook 67, (7) High School Athletic Association, 32.5, (5) G.W. Long 27, (6) CLASS 4A - (1) St. Pauls 140, (2) Tuscaloosa 39, (9) Murphy 29 and with 12 points for a state title, 9 Westminister 26.5, (7) Westbrook Madison County 56, (3) Lawrence (10) Auburn 33.5. points for second, 8 points for third, 26, (8) Courtland 24.5, (9t) Athens County 44, (4) Deshler 36, (5) etc. Points were awarded to the Top Bible 24 and (9t) Carrollton 24. Hamilton 31, (6) Leeds 30.5, (7)

Tillis scored 2 runs each.

last week's action:

Jacob Pettie, Jonathan Bryant and

\*\*\* MARINERS 23 RAYS 18 - the Rays.

and held on late to down Bama 13- Lane added 3.

123.5, (2) UMS-Wright 109.5, (3) Gardendale 34.5 and (10) Hartselle

Christian, of Birmingham, and each classification, with points Trinity 55.5, (5) Pleasant Valley CLASS 6A - (1) Hoover 114.5, 40.5, (6) St. James 31, (7) Colbert (2) Grissom 108, (3) Vestavia Hills

McCollough all scored 2 runs for

Wynn Grimes both got 3 hits to lead

Bros Club, while Hammond and

Yankees get big win in Coach-Pitch action The Coach-Pitch Baseball League Justin Mallory, Bradley Wilson and - Hayden Smith and Trey Knight Kydron Tillis all scored 3 runs for FLEMING SIGNS WITH SOUTH ALABAMA...Kinston's Kaci continued last week with the Richard Cooks, while Jonathan both scored 3 runs for the Phillies, the Mariners, while Jabari Cole,

Jonathan Maddox scored 2 runs runs. Ryan Pope and Andrew Head scored 2 runs. Brock Lambert, ted line is Jauguar coach Ginger Mayson. \*\*\* YANKEES 11 MARINERS 8Scoring 2 runs for the Yankees were

scoring 2 runs for the Yankees were

\*\*\* PHILLIES 18 DODGERS 15

both scored 3 runs for the Dodgers, while Aaron Drewery and Donta

\*\*\* PHILLIES 18 DODGERS 15

> volleyball scholarship with USA Kaci Fleming, a senior at Kinston Bulldogs, turned down a host of High School, jumped into the ranks softball scholarship offers to play of Division I collegiate sports last volleyball with the Jaguars, in

Fleming (seated) is pictured above signing a volleyball scholarship with the

week when she signed a volleyball Mobile. scholarship with the University of She is the daughter of Pat Fleming, of Kinston, and was an South Alabama. Fleming, a member of the 1997 honor graduate, ranking third in the state 1A champion and 1998 1A Class of 1999 at Kinston High

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League season continued last week with a short week of action. Following are highlight of last week's games played in Elba: escape with the win. Hannah Martin Mallory Allen added 2 hits. \*\*\* ELBA 5 ZC YANKEES 4 and Stacey Mitchell both got an Whitney Lawford got 2 hits for the Elba jumped out to an early 5lead and held on late to down the lead the Lookouts, while Ayonna \*\*\* BOMBERS 12 BLAZE 3 - ZC Yankees 5-4. Jason Curran got Proctor scored 2 runs. Kayla Kelley The Bombers broke loose late to 2 hits and scored 2 runs to lead and Becky Stinson got 3 hits each douse the Blaze 12-3, in 12 and Elba, while Brandon Petty added 2 Under action. The Bombers led hits and scored I run, and Matthew \*\*\* BATS 13 BLAZE 3 - The Bats only 4-2 after three innings, but Curran had 1 hit and scored 2 runs. used a big third inning to pull away broke loose late to get the win. Brandon Arnold got 2 hits and and down the Blaze 13-3, in 12 and Ashley Gibson got 2 hits and scored scored 2 runs to lead the Yanks, Under action. The Bats led only 1-0 2 runs to lead the Bombers, while while Mike Rayburn added 1 hit after two innings, but scored 12 Becky Stinson added 2 hits. Kayla and scored once.

Elba cools down

Yankees in Dixie

The Elba Dixie Boys baseball

Boys baseball

runs in the third to take command. Homyak got 1 hit and scored a run \*\*\* BRAVES 8 METS 3 - The Braves pushed across 4 runs in their final two at-bats to pull away and defeat the Mets 8-3. Wilson and Leslie both got 1 hit and scored 1 run to lead the Braves, while Mitch Downing got 2 hits and

### NOTICE **All Varsity**

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scored 1 run for the Mets.

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Dear Mr. Ross: I thought your column was one heart like he does. He has made me into his personal slave and our pastor has no problem with that. Our that dealt in fairness for all, but I can see now how pastor told me I should be obedient to God and my wrong I was. Did I put too much minority information husband. Thank goodness we have no children. How in my letter? I noticed from your last column all of your could we? We never consummated our marriage. writers are from states more so like yours. Therefore, He monitors everything I do when he's in the I assume they're more like you. The reason I even wasted another stamp was house, like how much laundry soap I use or how long I shower. I'm not allowed to wear make up or get my because I believed in your efforts so much I made the hair cut. It didn't get this bad overnight. It has been horrible mistake of telling my son you were going to

replace his stolen computer. He's still looking for I know if things are to get better I have to leave delivery and I haven't the heart to tell him you only him. I have no money. If I could just get to my parents' assist people like yourself. Maybe it's a good lesson for both myself and my house. They live several state lines away. But I'm

afraid. I'm afraid if he catches me, he'll kill me. He has son. Myself, because I tried to believe that there are threatened that for years and I believe him. I've white people who care, only to find the truth staring me hesitated for months to write this. Somehow I've in the face. I doubt you'll even read this, but I don't brought this upon myself by something I must have even care because if you could disappoint a child, done. It's just that I don't think I care to live any longer then you weren't the person I thought you were. P.S. if this is what my life was meant to be. Help me, Yes, I'm still incarcerated.

Ms. J. L. ... Daily News, New York, NY

Dear Ms. L.: I guess if the "race card" is the Dear Anonymous: Your husband may come only card left to play, it's time to fold your hand. after me for aiding and abetting his wife across I'm color blind when it comes to skin color, but I'm several state lines, but that's the risk I'll have to not so liberal when it comes to incarceration. Talk about being disappointed! Anyone who take. You are in an extremely abusive relationship, and I can't imagine you or anyone else living can promise a child you'll get him a new computer

is way. through this rich, white, old guy you can write to, while you sit in prison is deluded beyond comparents with the cash I've sent to your city, in care pare. Time for a reality check, lady. And that's the of general delivery. But make sure to get the way it is in black and white.

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The Coffee County Cotton Variety Demonstration plot was planted by LeVarl and Delone Wallace on April 21 in the Goodman Community of Coffee County. To see this plot, take County Road 625 going south of Goodman. Go two miles past the store and take County Road 633 to the left. The variety plot is immediately on the left. I would like to thank the cotton companies for sponsoring the seed. They are David Marshall with PayMaster, Tom Dyess with Terra International, Phil Shelley with government and other aspects of 36849-5620, or to be used specifi-Stoneville, Andy and Rocky Sumblin with Dixie Ag., Tommy Gibson with community life. Fiber Max, Rob Logan and Ray Kirk with Agri Pro, Randy Morgan with According to Dan Smalley, presi- County 4-H, 5 County Complex, Sure Grow, Al Wright and Tom Hagood with Phytogin, and Bob Logan dent of the Alabama 4-H New Brockton, Alabama 3 63 5 1. with Deltapine. There are 29 different varieties in this demonstration plot. Foundation: "Contributions raised I think it will be helpful for our farmers to see how these varieties perform in our area. The field received a few inches of rain a few days after planting and the field came up with an excellent stand. A field tour will be held in late July. I would also like to thank Bibb Farris and Dale Monks for their

What does it mean when the doctor tells you valuable help in planting this plot.

### Roundup Ready cotton planted extensively this year

Richard Petcher

the fourth true leaf stage only. This season always wait 10 days and at you can lower your blood pressure. for a bike ride or go dancing. reaches the size of a quarter. applying the next application. Follow these tips: stage may result in boll shed, leaf stage at the same time. Roundup high in salt and sodium. Also, cut delayed maturity and possible yield is one of the few chemicals that

Roundup Ultra. No surfactant is lower volumes if using aerial or speneeded. For larger weeds, especially cialized equipment. morning glory, nutsedge, sicklepod When fields are too wet and will or Bermuda grass or in times of be wet for a prolonged time you may Sandra T. Coffey drought stress use the 2-pint rate. want to consider aerial application. County Extension Coordinator For extra bum on these weeds you From time to time a grower may achieved when weeds are small and metic burn to the cotton.

there is moisture and weeds are Weed control recommended for decrease the incidence of cancer in pastures and hay fields

Stan Windham County Extension Agent

In the last several weeks we have probably has its best use on woody women. The primary reason for Alabama Breast and Cervical had a considerable number of calls weeds like blackberry and willow these drastic differences in statistics Cancer Screening Program. Public regarding weed control for pastures trees and things like this. You can is early detection. and hay fields. Some of the fields use it as a spot treatment with a one The only clear evidence for gram statewide. Currently, a woman are newly established and others are and one-half percent solution. There reduction in the severity of breast that is between the ages of 50 and fields that have been around for are some hay and grazing restric- cancer is early detection. Factors 64 can get a free mammogram if years and years. Each situation is tions so you want to be sure to conhandled differently and there are sult the label directions for this. development of breast cancer are (200% of poverty or have a high several chemicals on the market One final question centers around high fat diet, absence of anti-oxidant insurance deductible). Medicaid

For hay fields, during establish- chemical that will control dog fen- sedentary life style. In the laborato- women. Medicare at age 65 will ment, 2,4-D Amine is an excellent nel, smart weed, horse nettle and ry some of these may alter breast cover break cancer screening. Many chemical that will control most just about all the weeds that any of cancer rates but no clear clinical evi- women already have a malignancy annual broadleaf weeds. You can the 2,4-D products will control. In dence (in humans) exists for any of by (lie time they find a lump. Early watch your drift from the hay field Another product we have had them back down low. Weed Master or pasture into a crop field.

numerous question about is Grazon is a mixture of 2,41) and Dicamba. P+D. Grazon is a chemical that should be applied with a non-ionic clean up pastures that can't seem to surfactant. Applications with get a jump on the weeds that are out Grazon should be made only to permanent grass pasture and hay fields. Another way to control weeds, You do not want to plant any other that we need to mention, particularcrops on treated land for at least two ly on bahia grass pastures, is get years. Grazon is a restricted use your fertility where it belongs and pesticide that gives broad spectrum put pressure on the pasture by grazcontrol of broadleaf weeds and ing or mowing. By doing this, some residual activity on late ger- bahia, many times, over a period of minating weeds. We are a little late a season or two, will begin to take in the year to make good use of the pasture back without any chem-Grazon, but it is a product that for ical control. certain hard to kill weeds can pro- All of these chemicals have a vide some measure of control. There has been some success using Grazon on prickly pear cactus. The results have not been great but there

has been some control. Another question centers around the chemical Crossbow. Crossbow controls a number of annual and biennial broadleaf weeds and few

Alabama 4-H Foundation mounts fund raising campaign

earned through 4-H?"

generate financial support for 4-H skills and the ethical underpinnings n Alabama. The campaign is being that are so necessary in our changcoordinated by the Alabama 4-H ing world." Foundation. All funds raised "In 1998, Alabama 4-H touched through the campaign will help the lives of 88,000 young people in underwrite young people's partici- Alabama. 4-H plays an important Gibbs McCormick of New pation in 4-H activities in the state. role in kids' lives, encouraging the Brockton, 80 years young, is big on

Those familiar with 4-H have development of character and lead- chuffa. Besides running the vice and better living." 4-H has had Cooperative Extension System. tooth oaks, thurmbergee, an outstanding record of success in Contributions, which are tax- Lespedeza and chufa. Deer, turkey, environments. Cabinets over the helping younger generations devel- deductible, may be sent to the hogs and squirrels love them and op and mature into future leaders-in Alabama 4-H Foundation, 212 Mr. Gibbs eats a few too. business, education, agriculture, Duncan Hall, Auburn, Alabama

through this campaign will allow kids to participate in 4-H camps, programs and conferences. There is What were the lessons that you a pressing need for our friends to support 4-H and what 4-H represents. In this era of reduced govern-That question is being asked of ment funding, we need their aid to thousands of 4-H alumni, family help provide a new generation of and friends in a campaign to help young people with the leadership

thinking, greater loyalty, larger ser- 4-H is a program of the Alabama habitat for wildlife. He plants sawcally in Coffee County, Coffee

your blood pressue is high?

County Extension Agent

A large percentage of cotton acres the 5th true leaf stage. So timing of you your blood pressure is high? It the day. this year were planted with application is very important. A total means that your heart has to pump \* Be more active each day by of four quarts of Roundup Ultra may harder than it should to get blood to taking a walk and using the stairs. Roundup can be applied to this be applied form cotyledon to lay by, all parts of your body. This raises Park farther away from the store or cotton broadcast over the top any but do not apply more than 2 pints in your chances for a stroke, and heart work in the garden or yard. If those 21% for the wildlife. ne from ground cracking up until a single application. Throughout the and kidney problems. However, suggestions are too mild for you, go

over the top past the fourth true leaf cotton plants will reach the fourth more active and eat fewer foods at the table.

\* To help you lose weight, eat less fat and calories. Cut back on When was the last time you had foods high in sugar such as soda and actively growing. It only takes 3 your blood pressure checked? What candy. Eat smaller amounts of foods days for cotton to go from the 4th to does it mean when your doctor tells at meals and eat fewer snacks during

is actually before the fifth true leaf least 2 nodes of growth before Anytime is a good time to begin. You can fix foods with less salt and sodium by using herbs, spices Roundup can be post directed after Use no more than four applica- \* If your doctor says you and fruit juices to season food. Do the fourth true leaf stage. Applying tions per growing season. Not all weigh too much, lose weight. Be not add salt to food when cooking or

### works well in low volumes. It works The rate of use is 1-2 pints of well with 5-10 gallons and even Works well in low volumes. It works well with 5-10 gallons and even Coffee County

may add 2 lb. of a 99 % pure spray want to add a cotton insecticide to - We in Coffee County have all store. this mix. Be sure to read the other Opportunity to decrease the severity Currently, Extension is working

perennial weeds when applied in the African American women. The ing. the spring or early summer to death rate among African American The Center of Disease Control is actively growing weeds. Crossbow is 20 percent higher than white funding a project called the

Weed Master. Weed Master is a vitamins (A, C, E), alcohol, and does not pay for any screening for

apply it any time during the grow-south Alabama its probably best these. There is hope that soon we detection has not been an option for ing season when weeds are 6 inches used about the end of May. We have will have medications that will pre-many in the past. tall or less. Sometimes you have to used it on into the summer with a vent breast cancer. The research It is estimated that approximately repeat applications and be sure to fair amount of success, particularly data is still very preliminary, but 800 women in Coffee County alone if you can bushog the weeds and get hopeful. Tamoxifen may have a role qualify for this program. To date, It is an excellent herbicide to use to

place. Each situation particularly in

permanent pastures and hay fields is

a little bit different. Give me a call

if you have any questions that are

more specific about your situation

and I will be glad to help you out.

mograms, see their doctor, eat a bal- free mammogram. All of these ser-

use alcohol, use in moderation and if a supplement is necessary, use a regular multivitamin from the drug-

Many distributors are selling a products label. Most insecticides of breast cancer. Free mammograms with the Alabama Partnership for liquid formulation. Use their recom- will work fine. Dimethoate for are available to those who qualify. Cancer Control in Underserved mended rate. Best control is example though may cause a cos- African American women have a Populations. This group is supporthigher breast cancer death rate than ed by UAB. Our mission is to reach women of any other race. White these populations with cancer inforwomen have the highest breast can- mation and services that will group. Even though more white the underserved. Most underserved women get breast cancer, it is communities have more cancer detected at a much earlier stage than deaths due to lack of early screen-

Health is implementing this pro-

in the future. Recent findings show only about 50 have been screened. that it can reduce a woman's s To get an appointment women need chance of getting cancer consider- only call the Coffee County Health ably. There is more research going Department. They will provide the on now than even in the past thanks eligibility information, Women to the elevated awareness created by must first have a pelvic and clinical breast exam before going to Women need to get annual mam- Medical Center Enterprise for their

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Shelf-life of food in cupboard is long but still limited

Susan Taylor Extension Agent/NEP Since you are not old Mother

Hubbard, chances are your cabinets are full of food. Being familiar with the recommended shelf life of various foods, helps you be sure that the food you are eating is safe. Knowing how to store food properly and how long it will keep means fewer food dollars wasted. When food is stored, it should retain all of the nutrients it had

when purchased. Non-perishable food items such as cereals, snack foods, and drypackaged foods, such as rice, retain quality best in dry relatively cool range, near the dishwasher, or by the refrigerator exhaust may be too warm for food. Warm temperatures may affect the nutritional quality of the food and allow microorganisms to grow causing food spoilage. While canned foods have a long

Chufa grown

Richard L. Petcher

County Extension Agent

gown well in this area.

one may produce for seed.

have to compete with grass and

land that was cultivated the previ-

one-half inch of soil. When

for wild turkeys

sedge planted mainly as a fall and

Nutsedge is a major problem weed

cotton farmer and every homeown-

shelf life, it is recommended that you try not to keep canned foods for more than one year. The color, flavor, texture, and nutritive value Chufa is productive perennial may have deteriorated in old canned goods. Canned goods should be stored at an optimum temperature of 70 degrees F and no higher than 95 F.

in this county. Every peanut and Looking at the condition of the can is one indicator of how safe the er knows what a pest nutsedge can food is inside the can. Discard be. There is no doubt that it can be bulging cans because the food inside may be spoiled. Avoid buy-Chufa also grows well in this ing cans with dents on the side area and is a favorite food of most seams or around the top and bottom wildlife including turkeys, deer, rim seams. If a can is leaky, throw quail, squirrel and wild hogs. The it away. Check for leakage in rusty tuber of the chufa provides a cans. The rust may have penetrated digestible protein of 8% and fat of the can and contaminated the food

ordered at most farm stores. The in a cool, dry place. Refrigeration price this year is approximately hastens staling of bread by retard-\$4.00 a pound. Besides growing for ing mold growth. High moisture wildlife, this may be a crop some- breads such as English muffins and brownand- serve breads should be Chufa grows best on sandy soils, stored in the refrigerator. Hardand it is also easier for turkeys to crust breads, such as French bread, dig them in sandy ground. Chufa should be stored at room temperawill also grow on slightly acidic ture and used within one or two soils. Chufa does best if it does not days of purchase. Freeze fresh bread if you want to store it for a

other weeds. So they do well on Flour should be kept in an airtight container. In hot and humid ous season. Chufa also needs good weather, flour may draw moisture sunlight. Chufa planted on recently permitting the growth of microorcultivated land should be drilled in ganisms. Whole wheat flour should rows and cultivated to control the be kept refrigerated year round because the natural oils in the flour For wildlife plots, usually one may become rancid quickly if acre of chufa for 100 acres of habi-stored at room temperature.

tat provides sufficient production Vegetables such as dry onions, of tubers for wild turkeys. The best potatoes, rutabagas, and winter time to plant is from May 15 to July squash keep best in cool dark 10. Disk your plots thoroughly and places. Most fruits and vegetables add lime and fertilizer according to should be ripened at room temperasoil test recommendations. When ture and then refrigerated until broadcasting chufa, you need ready to use. between 30 and 40 pounds of Cereals, crackers, and snacks

tubers per acre on a well-prepared should be consumed by the "best if seedbed. Lightly disk over the scat- consumed by date" or "use by tered tubers, covering them with date". Normally, if ready-to-eat cereal is opened, it can be kept for row planting, use 20 pounds of two to three months provided the tubers per acre in rows 36-42 inch-package liner is tightly refolded es apart. Soil testing is the best way after opening. to determine fertilizer recommen- Coffee in cans can be stored for

dations. If you did not soil test, one year if unopened and for two

apply 300-400 pounds of a bal- weeks if opened. Unopened instant anced fertilizer per acre and side or coffee can be stored for six months top dress with about 100 pounds of and for two weeks if opened. ammonium nitrate per acre when Cornmeal, grits, honey, jellies the plants are 8-12 inches high. and jams, and unopened molasses Protect chufa plots from cattle all have a shelf life of one year. grazing and compaction. Deer, Spaghetti, macaroni, and other hogs, raccoons and squirrels often pastas keep for two years if stored

dig up seedlings and immature in airtight containers. tubers. You will need to keep An unopened bottle of salad wildlife off the patch as much as dressing can be stored for ten to possible during the early part of the twelve months. Onceopened, however, it should be refrigerated and Chufa production can be extend- can be kept for three months. Solid shortenings do not require ed each year by disking and fertilizing during the spring the previous refrigeration and can be kept for

year's plot, but best yields come eight months. Biscuit, brownie, cake, and muftwo to three years on the same site, fin mixes can be stored for nine weeds and insect damage will months if kept cool and dry. then be left fallow for several years months. Pudding mixes and soup while new plots are established mixes both keep for one year. Unopened catsup and chili sauce

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ESTATE OF Sue Havana Weeks Adkison DECEASED PROBATE COURT

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Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 20th day of May, 1999, by the Hon. William O. Gammill, Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be herred.

same will be barred. /s/ Jarrod B. Adkison /s/ Markell A. Heilbron

**Personal Representatives** 5/27,6/3,10chg. PROBATE COURT OF COFFEE COUN-

EDMOND E. SIMMONS DECEASED

Letters Testamentary of said

Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said

PROBATE COURT

ELBA DIVISION IN THE MATTER OF: BETTY SPURLIN, PC-94-82 BOBBY RAY SPURLIN, PC-94-83 DEBORAH ROGERS, PC-95-61 JUDY WILSON, PC-95-76

DAVID E. CATRETT, PC-96-45 347-0105 - 1-888-439-0626. FOR PARTIAL SETTLEMENT

TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES: \$247.00 Please take notice that the Petition for Partial Settlement of the 4-29-tfc has been filed in this Court by Carolyn approval of said reports.

The Court has set this cause for hear-

ing on Friday, June 18th, 1999, at 1:00 o'clock p.m./in the Probate Office of the June 10, 10 a.m. Thursday. Alabama Coffee County Courthouse at Elba, Alabama. You may be present and con-Done this 20th day of May, 1999.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA ELBA DIVISION

NOTICE TO STEVEN W. MAHAFFEY Steven W. Mahaffey, whose where-abouts are unknown, must answer Sherri Lynn Hale's complaint for money owed and other relief on or before July 26, 1999, or, thereafter a judgment by default may be rendered against him in Case No. CV 99-38, Circuit Court of Coffee

Jim Ellis, Circuit Clerk Coffee County Courthouse Elba, Alabama 36323

The City of Elba, 200 Buford Street, Elba, Alabama 36323 is accepting bids to sell ALL REAL property (house, storage building, separate garage, etc.) on that property located at 871 Riverview Drive, Elba, Alabama. All bids must arrive in a sealed at the location involved. The City of Elba reserves the right to refuse and/or reject all bids. Bidder receiving award will be required to clear the lot, parcel, etc., not later than thirty (30) calender days follows: Elba, Alabama. All bids must arrive in a sealed envelope and clearly marked "871 Riverview Drive" at the above address not later than 4:00 p.m., June Bidders are invited to contact the Cit Clerk who will demonstrate the ex location involved. The City of Elba reserves the right to refuse and/or reject all bids. Bidder receiving award will be required to clear the lot, parcel, etc., not

lowing notification of award.
/s/ Don Morrow City Clerk 5/27,6-3, & 6-10chg.

national origin or the handicapped. Room assignments are made on random basis which may create bi-racial room occupancy on a frequent basis. Room

Note: Date was incorrect in this legal transfers within the facilities when made , will be without regard to race, color, estate are hereby required to present the national origin or the handicapped. There is no distinction in eligibility for or in providing any patient service provid-6/3,10chg.

### others in or outside the facilities. All facilities of the hospital and nursing will be

6/3,10,17chg.

STEVEN W. MAHAFFEY,

CASE NO. CV 99-38

ELBA GENERAL HOSPITAL AND NURSING HOME ADMISSION POLICY It is the policy of the Elba General Hospital and Elba Nursing Home to admit and treat all patients without reserves the right to refuse and/or reject all bids. Movement of the dwelling will be discussed and scheduled to the mutual regard to race, color, national origin or the handicapped. The same requirements for admission are applied to Alabama Department of Transp deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 25th day of May, 1999, by the Hon. William O. Gammill everyone and patients are signed within

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: The City of Elba, 200 Buford Street, Elba, Alabama 36323 is accepting bids to sell ALL REAL property (house, storage building, separate garage, etc.) on that property located at 1887 Martin Luther King Drive, Elba, Alabama. All bids must arrive in a sealed envelope and clearly marked "1887 Martin Luther King" at the above address not later than 4:00 P.M.,

available to employees without regard to race, color, national origin or the handi-

capped.

All persons and organizations having occasion either to refer patients for admission or to recommend Elba General Hospital and Elba Nursing

General Hospital and Elba Nursing
Home are advised to do so without
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the handicapped.

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Hospital and Elba Nursing Home are
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Dated this 1st day of June, 1999.
Ellen C. Briley
Administrator

lowing notification of award.
/s/ Don Morrow

BID ANNOUNCEMENT The City of Elba, 200 Buford Street, Elba, Alabama 36323 is accepting bids to relocate a dwelling from 1884 Martin Luther King to a site east of Elba in the Shileb company in All bids must arrive in Shiloh community. All bids must arrive in a sealed envelope and clearly marked "Movement of Dwelling" at the above address not later than 4:00 p.m., June 11 1999 and will be opened at that time Bidders are invited to contact the City Clerk who will demonstrate the exact locations involved. The City of Elba regulations, particularly that part dealing

# LAND TIMBER SALE

ed by the hospital or nursing home or by

Teresa Brunson Estate

5 Tracks in the City of Elba

PARCEL #1 - 23 acres, more or less, fronting on Brantley Road. PARCEL #2 - 30 acres, more or less, fror ling on Troy Road. NOTE: Parcels 1 and 2 join making the land extend from

Troy Road to Brantley Road. PARCEL #3 - A parcel on north side of levee off west end of

Jab Street (unimproved). PARCEL #4 - 19.54 acres, more or less, on north side of levee fronting on Factory Street on its north side and by lands belonging to J. Brunson on its north side, east by Whitewater Creek, south by lands of the City of Elba, southwest by the Elba Levee, and on west by improved residential lots in

Brunson Addition Subdivision. PARCEL #5 - 4.3 acres, more or less, on east side of SE¼ of NE¼ and the NE¼ of SE¼ of Section 7, Township 5 North, Range 20 East. This property

### adjoins and lies immediately east of Mulberry Heights Subdivision. SEALED BID AUCTION

Bid opening at 11:00 A.M. on Tuesday, June 15, 1999

Contact Robert E. Cannon, Executor of Estate of Teresa Brunson, Deceased for details of sale. Telephone 334-897-3413

Thurs.., June 17 (Bank Ordered) at 1:00 p.m. AUCTION...) TAKE OVR PAYMENTS on 2 & 3 Bedrom Like New Repoed Mobile Homes. Payments Starting at \$159.88 **76.72**± ACRES Per Month. Call 1-800-882-3161.

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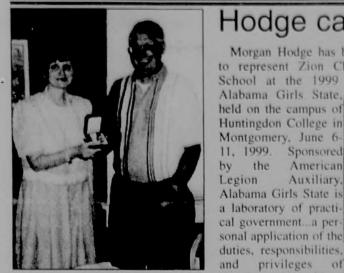
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> 415 South Main, Moultrie, GA 31768 Phone (912) 985-8388 A.A.L. 743 Toll Free 1-800-323-8388 Thomas W. Rowell, C.A.I., Auctioneer

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A retirement luncheon was held American citizenship. at Kelly's Bar-be-que on Friday, For one week, she June 4, honoring Harold Spinks. For one week, she will become a citizen of Harold had worked for the Elba an imaginary state, taking part in the campaign for the office of State Association, and GAP. Housing Authority as Maintenance Supervisor for 25 years. He was presented a watch by Director Pam Boyd representing Elba at Alabama Girls State presented a watch by Director Pam Bedsole in appreciation of his service to the Authority.

#### Beech participates in Dauphin Island Sea Lab

Spanning the Gulf of Mexico and American Legion Mobile Bay, the Dauphin Island Sea Auxiliary, Alabama Lab is an ideal place to learn more Girls State is a laboraabout a diversity of marine science tory of practical govsubjects - everything from ernment...a personal Estuarine Science to Marine application of the Conservation Biology to Marine duties, responsibili-Protozoology. Students in the Sea ties, and privileges of Lab's intensive, residential program American citizenship. are spending much time in the field,

For one week, she collecting samples and observing will become a citizen marine life; in the lab, analyzing in an imaginary state, their specimens; and in the lecture taking part in the polithall, as they are instructed by a ical life of her commu- Vaughan Boyd upon invitation, about Mathematics Award winner. wide range of Sea Lab and visiting nity, primarily through professors. A weekly colloquium, campaigning for and electing city, American Legion Auxiliary delivered by visiting speakers and county, and state offices. She will Alabama Girls State. The daughter residential faculty, supplement their academic training with a diversity

of topics. Carolyn Beech from Kinston and a student at Troy State University is participating in these courses at the Dauphin Island Sea Lab for credits towards her continued education.

#### Enterprise Health Fair 1999 set for this Saturday

The annual Enterprise Chamber of Commerce Health Fair for 1999 will be held on Saturday, June 12, between 8 a.m. and 12 Noon at the Morgan Square Shopping Mall on Rucker Boulevard. Heath Fair '99 will feature many free health care services and screenings, including free medication consultations for those who bring in all their medicines or a list of drug names, strength and frequency taken. A blood chemistry profile will be available at a charge of \$10. Those receiving the blood test should not have food or beverages after midnight on Friday the 11th. A PSA blood test for prostate cancer will also be available for a fee of \$15. Other free testing will include: blood pressure, height and weight checks; blood sugar and cholesterol screening; vision screening, cataracts and glaucoma screening; foot examinations by a podiatrist; drug consultations with a registered pharmacist; hearing screening; body fat and nutritional analysis; lung function test; screening EKG's. There will also be numerous health education displays and exhibits available to increase community knowledge of health and fitness. For more information on Health Fair '99, call Eloise Savey

### Vegetable tour to be held today

The Coffee County Vegetable Tour will be held on Thursday (TODAY), June 10, at Joey Powell's farm. Will meet at the "Pea Patch," Powell's newly opened fresh produce stand. This is located on Highway 27, approximately 7 miles south of Enterprise. It is 1/4 mile south of Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church. The meeting will last from 10 a.m. until about 12 Noon. Dr. Joe Kemble and Dr. Eric Simmone, Auburn University Vegetable Specialists, will be



### Hodge campaigning at Alabama Girls State

Morgan Hodge has been chosen political life of her community, pri- Board of Education. Miss Hodge to represent Zion Chapel High marily through campaigning for and will speak to her sponsoring organi-School at the 1999 session of electing city, county, and state zation, Zion Chapel High School, held on the campus of Huntingdon College in Montgomery, June 6-11, 1999. Sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary, Alabama Girls State is a laboratory of practical government...a per-

duties, responsibilities

Sponsored by the

Vaughan Boyd has been chosen to learn the operation of government of Lee and Harriette Boyd and

represent Elba High School at the by participating in party caucuses granddaughter of Maggie Boyd,

1999 session of Alabama Girls and through the election process. Amorette Helms and Harry Bullard,

Huntingdon College in Governor Don Siegelman and other Alabama Girls State because of her

State, held on the campus of Well-known speakers including Vaughan was elected to attend

Montgomery, June 6-11, 1999. state, county, and city officials, are outstanding participation as Student

her experiences at the

offices. She will learn and to other organizations upon the operation of gov- invitation, about her experience at ernment by participat- the American Legion Auxiliary ing in party caucuses Alabama Girls State. The daughter and through the elec- of Melinda and the late Mac Hodge, tion process. Well- and granddaughter of Irene and the known speakers late Curtis Hodge and Jeanette and including Governor the late Alfred Adkison, Morgan Don Siegelman and was selected to attend Alabama other state, county, Girls State because of her outstandand city officials, are ing participation in the National expected to visit and Beta Club, Future Business Leaders to enlighten the young of America, Future Homemakers of

expected to visit and Government Association president,

women on their School Lady Tiger Volleyball,

office of president, 1999 Tiger Rep (official

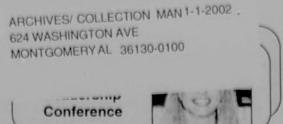
Agriculture. Scholar, Sr. Beta Club, nominated

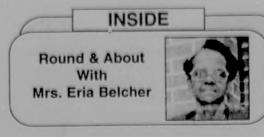


responsibilities. Team, Zion Chapel Band, Believers Day Camp recently. They learned about pet safety, lawn mower safety, Morgan plans to in Christ, the Student Government water safety, household chemical safety as well as other safety topics. Those pictured are: (front L to R) William Bond, Erica Lewis, Daniel Kelley; (back L to R) Marissa Grogg, Erin McGowin, Tasha Bond, Derrick

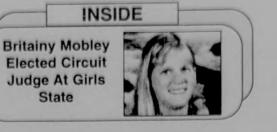
to enlighten the young team captain of the Elba High **GISCO** responsibilities. Basketball, and Softball teams, PORTABLE BUILDINGS Vaughan plans to 1999 Delegate to Alabama campaign for the Governor's School, Junior Class CUSTOM MADE TO ORDER IN OUR PLANT Commissioner of school hostess), All American 8'X8' TO 14'X14' Financing Available Miss Boyd will will for Scholar Athlete of the Year, 3848 Salem Road speak to her sponsor- 1998 Most Valuable Player and Free ing organization, Elba Throw (EHS Lady Tiger Enterprise, Alabama 36330 High School, and to Basketball), 1999 Hustle Award and Jother organizations Rebound Award, and National (334)347-3454 1-800-397-3454 Fax (334)347-3830











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LAND COULD PROVIDE DIRT AND POSSIBLE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT NEAR COUNTY LANDFILL

### Coffee County Commission passes on purchase of 157 acres of land

The Coffee County Commission

Lewis voting for, and
Commissioners Tom concluded its bi-monthly meeting in Grimsley, Dalrymple, less than an hour even with a 10- Len Averett and

Probably the most significant action. action taken by the commission was Randy Tindell, the rejection of a motion to purchase Coffee County a 157 acre parcel of land located Engineer, expressed across the road from the county disappointment in the landfill on AL. Hwy. 125 just north- action by the commiseast of Elba. The price of the land sion and hopes they was \$295,000 which included a will reconsider.

Commissioner Linda Westbrook, matters of business, after commenting that the commis- R e v e n u e dirt to the landfill and possibly office had collected \$7,034,000 in system was Southern Computers of week to do other necessary cleaning. \*\*\*A motion by Westbrook was 2003. industrial development.

Westbrook's motion that should the good year for our office. Basically, the repayment of the loan.

a little ahead of ourselves. I don't dation by the landfill committee that think the commission has ever the credit application from decided to purchase the property at Enterprise State Junior College be the price they're wanting.' Commissioner Stephens said, "I the application.

something that we need." ers] had just looked at buying a a part of our paving schedule." This small parcel of land just two miles was also approved. from this site to be used as a "clay County Administrator Wilson pit" for \$36,000 "which we're going Mobley reported that the buy-out

also be used to construct a water next phase involves the relocation of treatment plant for the landfill and in two county residents - one in the Big time, the gases produced by the Creek area (Wayne White residence) landfill could be utilized in an indus- and the other in the Whitewater trial manner. Both Westbrook's motion and The cost of relocating the Turner

by Marvin MclLwain, Editor

Gloria T. Webb of Enterprise was

given special recognition by the

Alabama Emergency Management

Council at its annual conference last

week. She was presented a plaque

during an awards luncheon held on

Mrs. Webb was cited by both

state and federal emergency man-

agement officials for exceptional

service as both an Emergency

Management Agency and E-911

volunteer. She was one of only a

few individuals selected statewide

During emergency situation, as

well as other times, Mrs. Webb per-

forms administrative duties in the

local EMA office and does it with a

very positive and professional atti-

assigned an E-911 address.

for this special recognition.

Stephens' amendment were voted residence is \$11,700 with the county down 4 to 3 with Westbrook, paying \$2,925 and the Federal

plus minute recess thrown in. Brooks opposing the

Turning to other Linda Westbrook action was a part of the bid, accordsion had been discussing the pur- Commissioner Ronnie Burns pre- from FEMA several months ago. bid specs, was awarded for a three- become of the county employee todian of the cages. chase of the land across from the sented his annual report - as required Under the heading of old busi- month "trial period" with an option presently responsible for the clean- \*\*\*Approved making application landfill for some time, made a by law - to the commissioners for ness, the commission opened bids to award the contract for twelve ing of the courthouse. He was told for an Industrial Access Grant for motion to go ahead with the purtheir approval prior to its being sub- on a computer management system months or cancel the service. chase by contacting South Alabama mitted to the state. In the report, he for the District Court and the clean-Electric Cooperative concerning a details the insolvents, litigations and ing of the new Enterprise vidual assigned to the courthouse county health department. ten-year interest free loan. She noted settlements for the previous year. Courthouse.

taxes during the past year. Commissioner Robert Stephens Burns summed up his report com-

loan be secured and the land pur- the state owes us roughly \$25 back chased, the highway department and out of \$7,034 for this year." With the landfill place in their annual that, he asked the commissioners to budgets the sums of \$10,000 and approve the settlement so he could \$25,000 respectively to go toward carry it to Montgomery this week. The county engineer had only a In the discussion of the motions, couple of items to present to the Commissioner Doug Dalrymple commission for their consideration. commented, "I think we are getting First, he presented the recommen-

approved. Commissioners okayed realize the property is high ... I think Second, Tindell asked for the for the well being of the landfill and commission's permission to adverhighway department the property is tise for bids for preparation and paving of Co. Rd. 623. He noted, He noted that they [commission- "This road is a budgeted road and is

portion of the hazard mitigation pro-Westbrook said the land could ject was nearing completion, and the Creek area (Jewel Turner residence).

State & federal EMA honor

Gloria Webb for service

Enterprise at \$6,510 for the comput- Commissioner Bernest Brooks passed addressing the liter problem

responded to 1126 calls for service until the total state allotted teacher during the month.

GLORIA WEBB tude. And, it is all done without any This too is done without compensa-

Mrs. Webb is presently serving money). on the Coffee County Emergency
Communications (E-911) Board

Mrs. Webb, wife of EMA
Director Charles Webb, has been a which has been assigned the task of volunteer for the agency since her seeing that every residence in rural retirement but has become more Coffee County, Elba, Kinston, and active in the last year.

tion except for mileage (gas

New Brockton has been properly "It makes me feel good to know that I have helped someone, plus it In accomplishing this task, Mrs. helps me remain active and busy," Webb has traveled out in the county she said.

checking addresses to insure that . She also encourages others to they are right because in many situ- become more involved and volunations, it could mean life or death. teer their services, especially in She has even gone door-to-door! emergency situations.

Management Agency the installation of (FEMA) paying three systems. \$8,775. The contract for Relocating the White janitorial services at residence will cost the new courthouse

\$43,408 with FEMA was awarded to funding \$32,556 of the Southern cost and the county the Management of remaining \$10,852. Dothan. Their bid Commissioners was \$26,970 annualsigned a resolution ly. approving this action. During several Mobley noted that this minutes of discus-

igation grant received ing to the terms of

action was a part of the sion, it was noted

during the day for routine cleaning Other actions taken by the com- serve on the Goodman Water the land could be used for supplying He told the commission that his The low bidder on the computer with a crew coming in twice per mission consisted of the following: Authority. His term will expire in

expressed concern about along county roadways. It was sugcontracting with compagested that supervised inmates from nies outside the county the county jail and work release be who in all probability utilized in correcting this problem, will "bring their own and that it be done in conjunction people in" to do the with the mowing of the right-of-way work (Note: No clean- which is done twice a year.

ing service located in \*\*\*Approved a motion by the county submitted a Grimsley to purchase two (2) animal bid). He also abstained cages to be used by county residents from voting on the who wish to transport stray cats awarding of the con- and/or dogs to the pound facility in Also during the dis- approximately \$60 and approxicussion of the bid, mately \$250 respectively will be Robert Stephens Cussion of the Old, Indies of the Brooks purchased to be used on a trial basis. asked what would The sheriff will be ask to act as cus-

### offered an amendment to Westbrook's motion that should the westbrook's motion that sho

by Ferrin Cox, Publisher

The chief also informed council members about this members that changes in required so they could be planning for the so they could be planning for the and vehicle repair cost \$3,249.39.

The Elba City Council received police officer standards would purchase of replacements.

The maintenance contract on four official thanks for their cooperation necessitate some revisions in the The council approved monthly copying machines was \$1,533.95 in honoring the 200th anniversary of ongoing training within the local bills totaling\$21,180.58. Of that and the architect work on the city the death of George Washington, department. He also noted that only amount \$2,210.79 was spent on hall remodeling was \$1,492. who served as the first president of two of the police cars have less than upgrading the Mulberry Park and the United States of America. Elba 170,000 miles on them. Chief \$1,807.75 was the cost of recreation Please See CDBG, Page 2 was presented with the designation Whitworth explained that he was concessions for resale. Asphalt mix as an official George Washington Bicentennial Community for their Our Country." Making the presentation to Mayor James Grimes -Monday evening was Richard Kemp of Ozark and Nell Gilmer, of Elba.

Police Chief R. W. Whitworth an increase in criminal arrest to 41; a total of seven: There were 12 drug

There are three teaching vacanthese students. month of May. The department Pearce recommended waiting to fill

The police cars were driven a total Under the guidelines for earning ual officers ranged from 668 miles units this year. However, the "40

Whitworth reported the police 1998 Elba flood in which 47 stuinstalled in the department. It was placements. Pearce noted that all misuse of trust funds for personal funds" checks from his attorney's funded by Coffee County but 15 were back before the year gain. Emergency Management and has a ended and he has applied for a harddish installed for direct satellite ship waver on the 40 day report and receiving of weather information. expects it to be approved. An

Area Happenings

TOWN MEETING U. S. Senator Jeff Sessions will hold a town meet-

ing in Coffee County at the Enterprise City Hall on Friday June 18, 1999

**DEDICATION & OPEN HOUSE** The Coffee County Public Building

Authority and the Coffee County Commission cordially invite the citi-

zens of Coffee County to the dedication and open house of the Coffee

County Courthouse - Enterprise Division on Sunday, June 27, 1999 at

2:00 p.m. The new courthouse is located at 99 South Edwards Street in

GRIEF & OUTREACH PROGRAM The Regional Grief and Loss

Outreach Program, sponsored in conjunction with Community Care

Jospice and AARP, will hold volunteer training classes on June 23-24-

25 and 28. This program is for individuals who would like to work with

the newly bereaved in the community. For more information, call 347

RED CROSS OFFERS LIFE-SAVING COURSES The American

Red Cross will offer a 6 1/2 hour standard first aid course that covers

both Adult Cardiopulmonary resuscitation and First Aid Basics on

Saturday, June 19, from 8:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. The cost of the course

is \$30. Also, a five hour Infant and Child CPR course emphasizing

response to emergencies, rescue breathing and cardiopulmonary resusci

tation performed on children and infants will be offered on Saturday,

June 26, from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. The cost of the course will be \$20. Both

courses will be held at the Enterprise Civic Center, 711 Crawford Street.

For more information or to enroll, call 347-2461

efforts in honoring the "Father of Elba BOE rehires non-tenured staff members answer is expected by June 22nd. financial statement and pointed to by Ferrin Cox, Publisher There will be a special board two very positive items on the state-The Elba School Board met last meeting scheduled to approve the ment. The system is debt free, hav-Washington died on December 14, Wednesday evening and had some hiring of new teachers once the state ing repaid the funds borrowed to

good news for teachers and other approval is received. staff members who didn't have The superintendent recommended school system is about \$66,000 bet-

unit allocations are determined.

presented council members with a tenure. They had all been formally the hiring of Patsy Bane as a full ter off than it was at this time last recap of the monthly police department activities for May. It showed year but each was issued a letter handicapped students. She will be Budget hearings for the coming renewing their contract for the next replacing Christy Greer, who year, beginning October 1st will be

D.U.I arrest doubled to eight; traffic year upon a recommendation of resigned at the end of the school held in July. There are two public arrest dropped one to 71 and acci- Superintendent Charles Pearce and year. Mrs. Bane is already attending hearings required and they will be dents investigated increased three to a unanimous vote of the board. workshops dealing with the care of held on July 19 and 20. The meetings will be at 5:30 p.m. each arrest by the department during the cies in the school system which Pearce referred to the monthly evening.

Enterprise attorney disbarred of 22,302 miles. Mileage by individual teacher units, Elba would lose 1.98 for misuse of trust funds day report" was taken right after the A prominent Enterprise attorney began when complaints against has been disbarred as a result of an Carmichael were received concernnow has a weather radar center dents were lost due to family disinvestigation into complaints of ing his issuance of "insufficient

> trust account. On June 4, Daniel F. Carmichael Carmichael's trust records were Jr. was disbarred from the practice audited by the Bar's Office of of law by the Alabama Supreme General Council. This revealed that Court. The action was taken in con- he had been using trust funds to pay junction with Carmichael's consent various personal expenses. to disbarment which was filed with Carmichael and his attorney met

Alabama State Bar. The Bar's disciplinary rules allow that time. render his or her license.

the Disciplinary Board of the with the bar on May 29, and he signed the consent to disbarment at an attorney who is the subject of an 
Carmichael has been practicing

investigation or proceeding involv- law for 21 years and at one time, ing misconduct to voluntarily sur- served as a part-time prosecutor with the District Attorney's office The investigation by the Bar was (1980's).

### County man among six individuals arrested in federal drug round-up

federal law enforcement officers Houston County.

ture methamphetamine. They were Southeast Alabama area. before a federal magistrate.

Charles R. Logan, 39, and Judy relation to this seizure.

A Coffee County man has been Logan, 38, all of Samson; Michael arrested in a federal drug bust. Clements, 23, of Daleville; and Last Wednesday, local, state and Johnny Mercer (no age given) of

conducted a round-up of suspects 
The arrests were a result of the wanted on federal drug indictments. combined efforts and continuing All of the suspects were arrested investigation by local, state and fed-

as follows: John Garzi, 36, of of a meth lab were seized. Enterprise; Richard C. Carroll, 29, Additional charges are expected in

in the Wiregrass area on federal eral law enforcement agencies into grand jury indictments charging the illegal manufacture and distribthem with conspiracy to manufac- ution of methamphetamine in the later transported (last Thursday) to Also, during the arrest of the Montgomery for initial appearances Logans and Carroll in Samson, a large quantity of freshly cooked Those individuals arrested were methamphetamine and components